

# Public Service Commission of South Carolina Tariff Summary Sheet as of July 19, 2010

NOS Communications, Inc.

Tariff Service: Long Distance

This document is the complete version of the tariff on file and contains the following approved revisions. Detailed information is available for each revision on the Commission's E Tariff website (http://etariff.psc.sc.gov).

Revision	Date Filed	Effective Date	# of Pages
E2010-178	7/13/10	7/19/10	7
	rate increase for certain select cust ny's new business address. All other		
E2010-87	4/13/10	7/19/10	7
Summary: This revision institutes a guarantee.	rate increase for certain select cust	omers who are not subject to an une	expired term plan or usage rate
E2009-359	10/14/09	10/19/09	9
Summary: This revision institutes a guarantee.	rate increase for certain select cust	omers who are not subject to an une	expired term plan or usage rate

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South Carolina Public Service Commission Attention: Tariff Division Saluda Building 101 Executive Center Drive Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: NOS Communications, Inc. Revisions to its South Carolina Tariff No. 2

Dear Madam or Sir:

On behalf of NOS Communications, Inc. ("NOS"), we hereby submit an original and four (4) copies of revisions to its South Carolina Tariff No. 2. These revisions are filed pursuant to NOS's Alternative Regulatory Authority, and are issued on July 14, 2010, to be effective on July 15, 2010. This material consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheets:

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This revision institutes a rate increase for certain select customers who are not subject to an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee and updates the company's new business address. All other company contact information remains the same.

Should there be any questions with respect to this matter, please contact me at (702) 547-8486 or e-mail me at jrenneker@nos.com.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessica Renneker Director of Regulatory Affairs NOS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. d/b/a, 011 Communications, d/b/a International Plus, d/b/a The Internet Business Association, d/b/a iVANTAGE Network Solutions d/b/a Blueridge Telecom Systems Administrator of Tariffs

250 Pilot Road, Suite 300, Las Vegas, NV 89119

**SOUTH CAROLINA TARIFF NO. 2** 

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#### TITLE SHEET

#### **SOUTH CAROLINA**

#### INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS

#### **TARIFF**

OF

#### NOS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

d/b/a 011 Communications
(N)
d/b/a International Plus

d/b/a Internet Business Association (INETBA)
d/b/a iVantage Network Solutions
d/b/a Blueridge Telecom Systems
(N)

This tariff, filed with the South Carolina Public Service Commission contains the rates, terms and conditions applicable to the telecommunications services provided by NOS Communications, Inc.("NOS") within the state of South Carolina.

Section 9 of this tariff contains the telecommunications services offered by NOS Communications, Inc. doing business as 011 Communications within the State of South Carolina.

Section 10 of this tariff contains the telecommunications services offered by NOS Communications, Inc. doing business as International Plus within the State of South Carolina.

Sections 11 and 12 of this tariff contain the telecommunications services offered by NOS Communications, Inc. doing business as INETBA and The Internet Business Association within the State of South Carolina.

Section 13 of this tariff contains the telecommunications services offered by NOS Communications, Inc. doing business as iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS within the State of South Carolina.

The Company also offers services under the trade name, Blueridge Telecom Systems. Services offered under the trade name Blueridge Telecom Systems are subject to the rates, services, and conditions of Section 13 of this tariff.

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#### SOUTH CAROLINA TARIFF NO. 2

NOS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. d/b/a, 011 Communications, d/b/a International Plus, d/b/a The Internet Business Association, d/b/a iVANTAGE Network Solutions d/b/a Blueridge Telecom Systems Administrator of Tariffs 250 Pilot Road, Suite 300, Las Vegas, NV 89119 Issued: July 14, 2010

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Sheets 1 through 129, inclusive of this tariff are effective as of the date shown at the top of the respective sheet(s). Original and revised sheets as named below comprise all changes from the original tariff and are currently in effect as of the effective date at the top of this sheet.

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The following are the only symbols used for the purposes indicated below:
<b>C</b> _ Changed regulation.
<b>D</b> _Delete or discontinue.
I _ Change Resulting in an increase to a Customer's bill.
<b>M</b> _Moved from another tariff location.
$\mathbf{N}$ _ New
<b>R</b> _ Change resulting in a reduction to a Customer's bill.
T_Change in text or regulation.
CONCURRING CARRIERS
None
CONNECTING CARRIERS
None
OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS
None

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# **Application of Tariff**

This tariff contains the regulations and rates applicable to the furnishing of intrastate resale common carrier communications service by NOS Communications, Inc., within the state of South Carolina.

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# SECTION 1 \_ TECHNICAL TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

**Access Line** \_ An arrangement which connects the Customer's telephone to the Company's designated switching center or point of presence.

**Authorized User** A person, firm, corporation, or any other entity authorized by the Customer to utilize the Carrier's service.

**Bill Second -** One-sixieth of a minute.

Business Day/Peak - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

**Call Duration Charges** - Company's charges for the time duration of a call determined by adding the charges tariffed for Minimum and Incremental Call Units only, excluding charges for non-transport (non-usage) charges (see Equivalent Call Unit definition, below). The total of Minimum and Incremental Call Units equal total call duration (time).

**Call Unit (CU)** - The basic unit by which calls are rated based on a uniform mathematical factor of 6, that is, for purposes of calculating call charges for recovery of Company's transport and non-transport costs, a call unit is uniform at 6 subject to minimum values at 18, 30, and 60 as specified in this tariff. There are four types of call units - Minimum (MCU), Incremental (ICU), Equivalent (ECU), and Total (TCU), as defined herein.

**Cents Per Minute (CPM)** - The term and acronym of reference used to identify Company's charges for minimum and incremental call duration, that is, those charges associated only with Minimum and Incremental Call Unit(s), in any rate plan and/or promotion which excludes, exempts, or waives charges for non-transport (non-usage) charges (see Equivalent Call Unit definition, below).

Cents Per Minute of Usage (CPMU) - The term and acronym of reference used to identify Company's charges for minimum and incremental call duration, that is, those charges associated only with Minimum and Incremental Call Unit(s) whenever a rate plan or promotion also includes non-transport (non-usage) charges (see Equivalent Call Unit definition, below).

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**Customer or End User** \_ The person, firm, corporation or other entity which orders, cancels, amends or uses service and is responsible for payment of charges and compliance with the Company's tariff.

**Company or Carrier** NOS Communications, Inc. unless otherwise clearly indicated by the context.

**Equal Access** \_ Where the local exchange company central office provides interconnection to interexchange carriers with Feature Group D circuits. In such end offices, customers presubscribe their telephone line(s) to their preferred interLATA carrier.

**Equivalent Call Unit (ECU)** - The Call Unit, expressed in dollars and/or cents or decimal fractions thereof, applied pursuant to this tariff to recover the non-transport (non-usage) costs incurred by Carrier in providing service.

**Equivalent Call Unit Value** - An Equivalent Call Unit's "value" is equal to the tariffed charge for an Incremental Call Unit in dollars and/or cents or decimal fractions thereof as set forth in this tariff.

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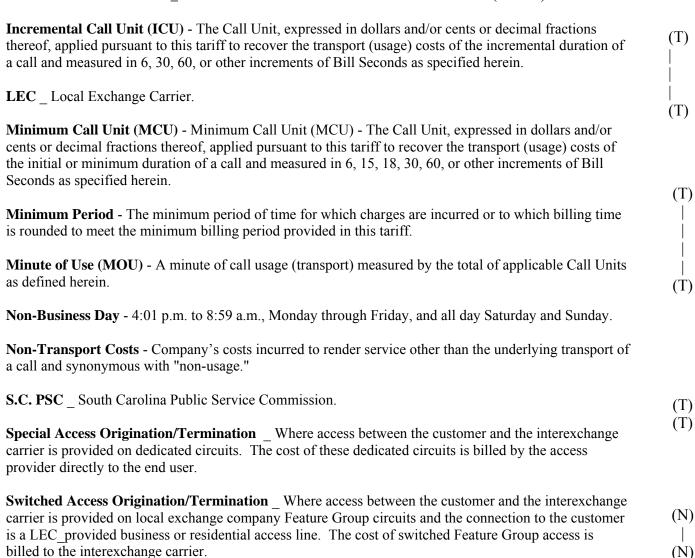
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**Total Call Units (TCU)** - The number of applicable Call Units (Minimum (Initial), Incremental, and/or Equivalent) which when added together determine the charges for a call. Total Call Units include one or more Equivalent Call Units and will appear on a Customer's monthly bill expressed in whole numbers and fractionally in tenths (e.g., .1, .4, .9, 1.4, 5.6, etc.).

**Transport Costs** - Company's costs incurred to transport a call from the time of connection to disconnection, and synonymous with the terms "usage" and "duration."

**Usage Increments** - Increments of use measured in Bill Seconds (up to a maximum of 1200 Bill Seconds) as specified in this tariff by which the Equivalent Call Units applicable to a completed call are determined and applied.

**V & H Coordinates** \_ Geographic points which define the originating and terminating points of a call in mathematical terms so that the airline mileage of the call may be determined. Call mileage is used for the purpose of rating calls.

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#### SECTION 2 \_ RULES AND REGULATIONS

# 2.1 Undertaking of Company

Company's services and facilities are furnished for communications originating at specified points within the state of South Carolina under terms of this tariff.

Company installs, operates, and maintains the communications services provided herein in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth under this tariff. Company may act as the Customer's agent for ordering access connection facilities provided by other carriers or entities, when authorized by the Customer, to allow connection of a Customer's location to the Company's network. The Customer shall be responsible for all charges due for such service arrangement.

The Company's services and facilities are provided on a monthly basis unless otherwise provided, and are available twenty four hours per day, seven days per week.

#### 2.2 Limitations

- **2.2.1** Service is offered in Equal Access areas only.
- **2.2.2** Service is offered subject to the availability of the necessary facilities and equipment, or both facilities and equipment, and subject to the provisions of this tariff.
- **2.2.3** Company reserves the right to discontinue or limit service when necessitated by conditions beyond its control, or when the Customer is using service in violation of provisions of this tariff, or in violation of the law.

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# 2.2 Limitations (Cont'd)

**2.2.4** The Company does not undertake to transmit messages, but offers the use of facilities when available, and will not be liable for errors in transmission or for failure to establish connections.

# 2.3 Use

Services provided under this tariff may be used for any lawful purpose for which the service is technically suited.

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# 2.4 Liabilities of the Company

- 2.4.1 The Company's liability for damages arising out of mistakes, interruptions, omissions, delays, errors, or defects in transmission which occur in the course of furnishing service or facilities, in no event shall exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the customer for the period during which the faults in transmission occur.
- 2.4.2 The Company shall not be liable for claim or loss, expense or damage (including indirect, special or consequential damage), for any interruption, delay, error, omission, or defect in any service, facility or transmission provided under this tariff, if caused by any person or entity other than the Company, by any malfunction of any service or facility provided by any other carrier, by an act of God, fire, war, civil disturbance, or act of government, or by any other cause beyond the Company's direct control.

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# 2.4 Liabilities of the Company (Cont'd)

- 2.4.3 The Company shall not be liable for, and shall be fully indemnified and held harmless by Customer against any claim or loss, expense, or damage (including indirect, special or consequential damage) for defamation, libel, slander, invasion, infringement of copyright or patent, unauthorized use of any trademark, tradename or service mark, unfair competition, interference with or misappropriation or violation of any contract, proprietary or creative right, or any other injury to any person, property or entity arising out of the material, data, information, or other content revealed to, transmitted, or used by the Company under this tariff; or for any act or omission of the Customer; or for any personal injury or death of any person caused directly or indirectly by the installation, maintenance, location, condition, operation, failure, presence, use or removal of equipment or wiring provided by the Company, if not directly caused by negligence of the Company.
- 2.4.4 The Company shall not be liable for any defacement of or damages to the premises of a Customer resulting from the furnishing of service which is not the direct result of the Company's negligence.
- 2.4.5 When the facilities of other carriers are used in establishing connections, the Company is not liable for any act or omission of the other carrier or carriers.

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# 2.4 Liabilities of the Company (Cont'd)

2.4.6 Year 2000 Compliance. Company shall not be liable to any Customer, Authorized User or third party under any law or regulation or any theory of liability, including indemnity, based on claims or because of Company's or its underlying carrier's failure or neglect to have and maintain a system, systems, a network, networks, equipment, facilities or services that are Year 2000 compliant. As the Year 2000 approaches, date information associated with any interfaces between the Company and Customer and/or its Authorized User shall be considered to remain as it is. Any changes in the interfaces, interface format or formats associated with date information shall be processed and worked by Company's Y2K Compliance Division and no change of any nature may be made, used or implemented unless and until approved by Company's Y2K Compliance Division and tested successfully for Y2K compliance. Customer's service may be delayed, canceled, temporarily or permanently discontinued or terminated without liability in the event Company determines that harm to its network, equipment, facilities or services may be caused by a Customer's not having provided proof of its compliance with the Y2K phenomenon.

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# 2.5 Deposits

The Company does not collect deposits from Customers.

#### 2.6 Advance Payments

For Customers whom the Company determines an advance payment is necessary, Company reserves the right to collect an amount not to exceed one (1) month's estimated charges as an advance payment for service. This will be applied against the next month's charges and a new advance payment may be collected for the next month, if necessary.

#### **2.7 Taxes**

All state and local taxes (i.e., gross receipts tax, sales tax, municipal utilities tax) are listed as separate line items and are not included in the quoted rates.

# 2.8 Terminal Equipment

The Company's facilities and service may be used with or terminated in Customer\_provided terminal equipment or Customer\_provided communications systems, such as a telephone set, PBX or key system. Such terminal equipment shall be furnished and maintained at the expense of the Customer, except as otherwise provided. The Customer is responsible for all costs at his or her premises, including personnel, wiring, electrical power, and the like, incurred in the use of the Company's service. When such terminal equipment is used, the equipment shall comply with the generally accepted minimum protective criteria standards of the telecommunications industry as endorsed by the Federal Communications Commission.

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#### 2.9 Installation and Termination

Service is installed upon mutual agreement between the Customer and the Company. The service agreement does not alter rates specified in this tariff.

#### 2.10 Payment for Service

The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for services and equipment furnished to the Customer or to an Authorized User of the Customer by Company. All charges due by the Customer are payable to the Company or to the Company's authorized billing agent. Terms of payment shall be subject to the rules of regulatory agencies, such as the South Carolina Public Service Commission. Any objections to billed charges must be reported to the Company or its billing agent. Adjustments to Customer's bills shall be made to the extent that circumstances exist which reasonably indicate that such changes are appropriate.

#### 2.11 Interconnection

Service furnished by Company may be connected with the services or facilities of other carriers. Such service or facilities, if used, are provided under the terms, rates and conditions of the other carrier. The Customer is responsible for all charges billed by other carriers for use in connection with the Company's service. Any special interface equipment or facilities necessary to achieve compatibility between carriers is the responsibility of the Customer.

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# 2.12 Inspection, Testing and Adjustment

Upon reasonable notice, the facilities provided by the Company shall be made available to the Company for tests and adjustments as may be deemed necessary by the Company for maintenance. No interruption allowance will be granted for the time during which such tests and adjustments are made when the interruption is less than twenty four consecutive hours.

#### 2.13 Interruption of Service

Credit allowances for interruptions of service which are not due to the Company's testing or adjusting, to the negligence of the Customer, or to the failure of channels, equipment or communications systems provided by the Customer, are subject to the general liability provisions set forth in Section 2.4 herein. It shall be the obligation of the Customer to notify Company immediately of any interruption in service for which a credit allowance is desired by Customer. Before giving such notice, Customer shall ascertain that the trouble is not within his or her control, or is not in wiring or equipment, if any, furnished by Customer and connected to Company's terminal. Interruptions caused by Customer\_provided automatic dialing equipment or access\_code programmed PBXs are not deemed an interruption of service as defined herein since the Customer has the option of using the long distance network via local exchange company access.

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#### 2.14 Service Cancellation, Discontinuance and Termination

Subject to and to be construed consistent with section 2.5.1, preceding, and under applicable circumstances as set forth following, Company's services may be canceled, temporarily or permanently discontinued or terminated without liability of any kind to customer or any third party. Company's right to cancel, discontinue and/or terminate a service or services applies equally to and/or may in Company's discretion be limited to new orders for or modifications to existing service, new service orders, modifications of services yet to be commenced or other service circumstances

#### 2.14.1 Definitions

A service or services are considered "canceled" when the Company determines not to provision service prior to commencement of that service.

A service or services are considered to be "temporarily discontinued" when Company determines to suspend service or services for a period of time during which the causes underlying the suspension of service are investigated to determine whether a service or services may be reinstituted consistent with this tariff and/or applicable law and/or regulation. Temporary discontinuances may not exceed thirty days, unless good cause is shown. At the end of the applicable period of temporary discontinuance, e.g., 30 days, service must be reinstituted according to the original terms and conditions applicable to said service or services as set forth in this tariff.

A service or services are considered to be "permanently discontinued" when Company is unable to determine within the applicable period of temporary discontinuance that the service or services cannot be reinstituted according to the original terms and conditions applicable to said service or services as set forth in this tariff.

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# 2.14 Service Cancellation, Discontinuance and Termination (Cont'd)

# 2.14.1 Definitions (Cont'd)

A service or services are considered "terminated" when Company ceases to provision the service or services for a customer or class of customers or determines that offering the service or services is no longer warranted because customer demand for the service or services has fallen below the level needed to maintain the service or services on a cost effective or operationally practical basis or both.

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#### 2.14 Service Cancellation, Discontinuance and Termination (Cont'd)

#### 2.14.2 Cancellation

- **A.** A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be canceled without prior notice of any kind, if Company determines the customer's service profile does not meet the eligibility requirements applicable to the service or services under this tariff. Company will provide verbal or written notice of the cancellation within a reasonable time after Company determines cancellation is required.
- **B.** A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be canceled without prior notice of any kind, if Company determines that the customer has a history of late payments, payment delinquencies, a poor credit rating, or a history of disputed billings with Company or other telecommuni-cations service providers. Company will provide verbal or written notice of the cancellation within a reasonable time after Company determines cancellation is required.
- C. A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be canceled without prior notice of any kind, if Company determines that the customer's representative did not have the authority to order the service or services, fails to provide proof satisfactory to Company that such authority was delegated to the person claiming to represent the customer, or Company determines by any means that the person misrepresented his or her authority on behalf of customer. Company will provide verbal or written notice of the cancellation within a reasonable time after Company determines cancellation is required.

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#### 2.14 Service Cancellation, Discontinuance and Termination (Cont'd)

# 2.14.3 Temporary Discontinuance

- A. A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be temporarily discontinued if Company determines that circumstances exist which if shown to be true would cause the continuation of the service or services to violate any term or provision of this tariff, any applicable law or regulation, or result in unlawful, abusive, fraudulent, or harassing use or an invasion of another's privacy. Company will provide reasonable advance notice, not to exceed ten calendar days, of any temporary discontinuance; provided that Company may institute a temporary discontinuance without prior notice when Company determines such action is necessary in the public interest, to avoid a possible violation of law, this tariff or governing regulations or in any circumstance where the rights of a third party may be threatened with substantive harm or damage.
- **B.** A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be temporarily discontinued without prior notice if Company determines that a customer's monthly usage exceeds or is projected in any of the next three succeeding billing cycles to exceed customer's estimated usage provided prior to commencement of service by \$500, and customer, having been notified of its unexpected level of usage, and requested to provide specific security for payment of charges, fails to confirm in writing customer's acknowledgment and agreement to the tariffed charge applicable to customer's service or services and provide Company with an advance payment. Such advance payment must be provided Company by wire transfer pursuant to banking instructions provided by Company.

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# 2.14 Service Cancellation, Discontinuance and Termination (Cont'd)

#### 2.14.3 Temporary Discontinuance (Cont'd)

- C. A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be temporarily discontinued without prior notice if Company determines that customer's most recent payment was remitted without sufficient funds to cover the then outstanding charges and any arrearage, and customer, having been notified of its insufficient funds, fails to confirm in writing customer's acknowledgment and agreement to the tariffed charges applicable to customer's service or services and provide Company with an advance payment.
- **D.** A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be temporarily discontinued without prior notice if customer has not paid the charges for services rendered within thirty (30) days of invoice date and Company determines that customer has or will refuse to pay the invoiced tariffed charges other than for legitimate unresolved disputes about the charges. For purposes of this section, legitimate disputes over charges do not include:

Disputes arising from Company's billing and collection of government imposed surcharges, fees, assessments, taxes or other similar charges for which Company is not the originator;
Disputes arising from Company's bill presentation format;
Disputes arising from Company's rate structure;
Disputes arising from any cause not related to miscalculations of charges for services rendered; disputes over the services themselves as to quality, reliability, or "as ordered" correctness; and/or
Customer's dispute of the correctness of Company's determination to reject customer's original "legitimate" dispute of Company's charges.

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  - **2.14.4 Permanent Discontinuance.** A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be permanently discontinued if Company is unable to determine within the applicable period of temporary discontinuance as provided for in section 2.14.3.D, preceding, that the service or services may be reinstituted according to the original terms and conditions applicable to said service or services as set forth in this tariff; or the causes giving rise to the temporary discontinuance in the first instance have not been resolved permitting reinstitution of service on the terms and conditions applicable prior to temporary discontinuance of service. Company will provide prior written notice of permanent discontinuance within a reasonable time, not to exceed five (5) business days once Company determines permanent discontinuance is required.
  - **2.14.5 Termination.** A specific service or any combination of multiple services may be terminated if Company determines to cease provisioning the service or services for a customer or class of customers for cause. For purposes of this section, "cause" is defined as follows:
    - **A.** The circumstances giving rise to Company's determination to cancel, temporarily discontinue or permanently discontinue a service or any combination of multiple services are determined by Company to be immune to positive changes or improvement.

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# 2.14.5 Termination (Cont'd)

- **B.** The offering of the service or services is no longer warranted because customer demand for the service or services has fallen below the level needed to maintain the service or services on a cost effective or operationally practical basis or both.
- **C.** The offering of the service or services is no longer warranted because applicable laws, regulation, or government policy have separately or in combination made continued provisioning of the service or services technically and/or competitively infeasible, economically unviable or operationally impracticable.

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#### 2.14 Service Cancellation, Discontinuance and Termination (Cont'd)

#### **2.14.6** Service Term Commitments

- **A. Termination Charges** Discontinuance Before Expiration. Should customer discontinue service before the expiration of any term commitment specified in this tariff, customer shall be liable for termination charges as specified in the term commitment.
- В. 90-Day Term Agreement – In consideration for the value of various promotional offerings granted to certain new customers, such customers may elect to be subject to a 90-Day Term Agreement. Should a customer under this term agreement terminate service with Company prior to completion of the term, that customer is subject to an early termination charge equal to the amount of estimated billing for such customer, applied on a pro-rata basis for the remainder of the term. The monthly estimated billing for a customer is determined by customer's previous carrier's invoice. The initiation date of the term is deemed the date of customer's first call. The date of termination of service is deemed as the date Company's Winback Department notes customer's account as in "jeopardy." The pro-rata early termination charge amount is determined by multiplying customer's monthly estimated billing by three (3) (to determine the total term estimated billing), determining the percentage of the remaining days of the term after termination, as compared to the entire term, and applying the remaining term percentage to the total term estimated billing. Percentages are rounded up to the next whole number, and termination charges are rounded up to the next whole dollar. The early termination charge will be applied to customer's next invoice after the date of termination. Customer's 90-Day Term Agreement will automatically renew for subsequent additional 90-Day terms unless customers cancel their account within 30 days of completion of the current term.
- C. **6-Month Term Agreement** – In consideration for the value of various promotional offerings granted to certain new customers, such customers may elect to be subject to a 6-Month Term Agreement. Should a customer under this term agreement terminate service with Company prior to completion of the term, that customer is subject to an early termination charge equal to the amount of estimated billing for such customer, applied on a pro-rata basis for the remainder of the term. The monthly estimated billing for a customer is determined by customer's previous carrier's invoice. The initiation date of the term is deemed the date of customer's first call. The date of termination of service is deemed as the date Company's Winback Department notes customer's account as in "jeopardy." The pro-rata early termination charge amount is determined by multiplying customer's monthly estimated billing by six (6) (to determine the total term estimated billing), determining the percentage of the remaining days of the term after termination, as compared to the entire term, and applying the remaining term percentage to the total term estimated billing. Percentages are rounded up to the next whole number, and termination charges are rounded up to the next whole dollar. The early termination charge will be applied to customer's next invoice after the date of termination. Customer's 6-Month Term Agreement will automatically renew for subsequent additional 6-Month terms unless customers cancel their account within 30 days of completion of the current term.

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#### 2.14 Service Cancellation, Discontinuance and Termination (Cont'd)

#### **2.14.6** Service Term Commitments (Cont'd)

- D. 1-Year Term Agreement – In consideration for a guarantee, granted to certain new customers, that a customer's long distance Interstate and Intrastate/IntraLata usage rates will not increase during the Agreement term, such customers may elect to be subject to a 1-Year Term Agreement. Should a customer under this term agreement terminate service with Company prior to completion of the term, that customer is subject to an early termination charge equal to the amount of estimated billing for such customer, applied on a pro-rata basis for the remainder of the term. The monthly estimated billing for a customer is determined by customer's previous carrier's invoice. The initiation date of the term is deemed the date of customer's first call. The date of termination of service is deemed as the date Company's Winback Department notes customer's account as in "jeopardy." The pro-rata early termination charge amount is determined by multiplying customer's monthly estimated billing by twelve (12) (to determine the total term estimated billing), determining the percentage of the remaining days of the term after termination, as compared to the entire term, and applying the remaining term percentage to the total term estimated billing. Percentages are rounded up to the next whole number, and termination charges are rounded up to the next whole dollar. The early termination charge will be applied to customer's next invoice after the date of termination.
- **E. Discontinuance Without Liability** Customers may discontinue service before expiration of any term commitment specified in this tariff without incurring the applicable termination charges if customers restructure their service by agreeing to a new service term of equal or greater length as that of the service term customer discontinues or to a new service with a greater volume commitment for a term, the combination of which (that is, the new term and greater volume commitment) has a value equal to or greater than the value of the service being discontinued.

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# 2.15 General Customer Eligibility Requirements.

Company offers service to all persons and/or entities which meet the following general eligibility requirements. Additional eligibility requirements may apply for specific services and will be described and prescribed in the sections of this tariff applicable to each service offering based on specific eligibility requirements in addition to those following.

- **2.15.1** Non-Payment of Charges At any time within the two years prior to ordering service from Company, customer may not have had its account with another telecommunications service provider canceled for non-payment of charges.
- **2.15.2** Timely Payment of Charges At any time within the twelve (12) months prior to ordering service from Company, customer may not have had any history of late payment charges for services provided by another telecommunications service provider.
- **2.15.3 No History of Delinquencies** Presently, or at any time during a previous service period with Company or any commonly owned telecommunications service provider, Customer may not have had or have any delinquencies in payment of applicable charges.
- **2.15.4 Creditworthiness** Prior to and at all times during service terms, customer may have and maintain credit worthiness determined to be satisfactory to Company in its sole and absolute discretion.

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#### 2.16 Limitations of Actions

- **2.16.1** All actions at law or in equity, and/or all complaints to regulatory authorities against Company for the recovery of damages and/or seeking mandates requiring the Company to take action or to cease any action which is not based on tariffed charges shall be begun within one year from the time the cause of action accrues and not after. Commencement of an action or complaint does not relieve Customer's duties to pay Company's charges.
- 2.16.2 All actions at law or in equity, and/or all complaints to regulatory authorities against Company for the recovery of overcharges based on tariffed rates shall be begun within one year from the time the cause of action accrues and not after, except that if a claim for the overcharge has been presented in writing to Company within the one-year period of limitation, said period shall be extended to include one year from the time the notice in writing is given by the Company to the claimant of disallowance of the claim, or any part or parts thereof, specified in such notice. Commencement of an action or complaint does not relieve Customer's duties to pay Company's charges.

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# 2.16 Limitations of Actions (Cont'd)

- **2.16.3** All actions at law by Company for recovery of its lawful charges, or any part thereof, shall be begun within one year from the time the cause of action accrues, and not after. If on or before the period of limitation in sections 2.16.1 or 2.16.2, preceding, Company begins action under this section for recovery of lawful charges in respect to the same service, or, without beginning action, collects charges in respect if that service, said period of limitation shall be extended to include ninety (90) days from the date such action is begun or such charges are collected by Company.
- **2.16.4** The term "overcharges" as used in this section shall be deemed to mean charges for services in excess of those applicable to such service or services under the Company's schedules of charges lawfully on file with the Commission.

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#### 2.17 Arbitration of Disputes

All disputes concerning or affecting any service, rating of services, transfer of service, payments on account, credits, promotions, special offers or services, or any action or service of Company and/or its agents and/or any billing, bills, invoices, or statements of accounts shall be resolved through binding arbitration. Arbitration of disputes, whether raised by the Company or by the Customer, shall resolve all issues between the Company and the Customer, and shall not involve any form of class or collective arbitration nor any form whatsoever of class action lawsuit. A dispute occurs when the customer fails to pay an invoice or contests it for any reason associated with the ordering, installation, provisioning, maintenance, repair, interruption, restoration or termination of any service or facility offered under this Tariff. Once a dispute is raised, arbitration is mandatory, and counterclaims may be asserted. The arbitration shall be administered by the neutral third party administrator (Administrator) jointly chosen by the customer and Company and shall be conducted under rules and procedures normally followed for arbitrations conducted in this country. As a condition of service under this Tariff, and as disclosed in the customer authorization for service (LOA), any dispute or any counterclaims in response to such a dispute shall be governed by such arbitration rules and procedures. Nothing herein shall be construed to deny a customer its rights to file complaints with the South Carolina Public Service Commission pursuant to applicable statutory or regulatory provisions at the conclusion of any arbitration conducted in accordance herewith.

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- **3.2.1** Long distance usage charges are based on the usage of the Company's network. The Company will determine that a call has been established through industry standard answer detection methods, including hardware answer detection.
- **3.2.2** Chargeable time for a call ends upon disconnection by either party.
- **3.2.3** Charges for calls are based on usage of the Carrier's network (transport) and the related non-transport functions including without limitation, installation/account set up, general and account administration, regulatory fees, and other costs.
- **3.2.4** Charges for a call are determined by adding all applicable Call Units as defined in this tariff-Minimum (Initial), Incremental, and Equivalent and are in lieu of additional surcharges, the imposition of minimum service terms or other special charges, unless expressly set forth in this tariff.
- **3.2.5** Carrier adds one or more ECUs in determining TCUs to recover the equivalent of the costs for the non-transport functions of providing a completed call according to a non-discriminatory algorithm applied to all customers unless otherwise provided for herein.

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#### 3.2.6 Call Unit Calculations

Total charges per call are calculated by using the information provided in Tables 1 or 2 to determine Total Call Units ("TCU's") in each call and by multiplying the TCU's by the rates applicable to the service provided. The following tables may be used to determine the TCU's in any call of a specified duration as shown following:

TABLE 1 - Calls of a Minute or Less

<u>Duration (In seconds)</u>	<u>TCU's</u>	
1-18*	3.2	(I)
19-22	3.3	
23-24	3.4	
25-26	3.5	
27-29	3.6	
30	3.7	
31-35	3.9	
36	4.0	
37-42	4.1	
43-44	4.2	
45-48	4.3	
49-53	4.4	
54	4.5	
55-58	4.6	
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<sup>\*</sup> calls are subject to an 18-second minimum.

#### **TABLE 2 - Calls in Minutes**

<u>Duration (In minutes)</u>	Formula Calculations	
1-19.9	TCU's = [Call Duration (in minutes) $\times 2.2 + 2.6$ ]	(I)
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Note: The tables preceding can be used in reverse to convert TCU's to minutes of call duration for individual calls.

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# 3.2 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

- **3.2.9** All calls incur charges for Minimum and applicable Equivalent Call Units and all calls of more than 18 seconds will also incur charges for applicable Incremental Call Units.
- **3.2.10** Reserved for future use.
- **3.2.11** When the connection is established in one rate period and ends in another, the rate for each rate period applies to the portion of the connection occurring within that rate period. In the event that a billing increment is split between two rate periods the rate in effect at the start of the billing increment applies.

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# 3.2.12 Rounding

- A. Rounding at 18/6. Company follows the industry practice of "rounding," that is, in its most basic form, when call duration does not end on the nearest whole six second increment, the call's duration is rounded to the next whole 6 six second increment. Services with billing increments of 6 second increments with an 18 second minimum are billed as follows a minimum of 3 call units, equal to either 3 ICUs of 6 seconds each, or 1 Minimum Call Unit (MCU) of 18 seconds as the minimum, with additional call duration rounded to the next higher 6 second increment, i.e., the next ICU having a value in this case of a whole 6 seconds.
- **B.** Rounding to Whole Cents. Charges for each call are totaled. If the computed charges include a fraction of a cent, the fraction is rounded up to the next whole cent (e.g., \$1.4233 would be rounded up to \$1.43).

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#### 3.3 Freedom Plans

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Subject to Section 5.1 following, Carrier offers services under its Freedom Plan 2000 and Freedom Plan for Business Users (collectively, the "Freedom Plans") based on the Rate Plans and categories as specified following. Rates are graduated as shown in Table 1 following, higher to lower, that is, Rate Category I for the Cairo 2 Rate Plan contains Carrier's lowest offered rates and Rate Category XI for the Basic Q Rate Plan contains Carrier's top rates.

Table 1

Rate Plan	Rate Category
Basic Q	XI
Classic Q	X
Classic 2	IX
Classic 1	VIII
Universal	VII
Prime 2	VI
Prime 1	V
Super 1	IV
Super 2	Ш
Cairo 1	П
Cairo 2	I

- 3.3.1 Any Rate Category I-IX customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted upward by two Rate Categories, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.
- 3.3.2 Any Rate Category X customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted to Rate Category XI, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.

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#### 3.4 Telecompetitive Service Offerings ("TSOs")

From time to time, Carrier shall tariff rates or select tariffed rates, the purpose of and/or design for which is to retain Carrier's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of the customer. Carrier either shall require customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing or shall confirm the availability of a more favorable competitive rate from published tariffs, marketing materials, or other public sources to establish a customer's right to obtain a TSO.

- **3.4.1** TSOs will comply with the Carrier's net revenue test which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- **3.4.2** A customer or potential customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed TSO. To qualify as a similarly situated customer for purposes of this Section, the customer seeking the TSO must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the TSO as tariffed.
- **3.4.3** An existing customer or potential customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed TSO may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new TSO tailored to that customer's circumstances.
- **3.4.4** TSOs are available for all rates published in this Tariff.
- 3.4.5 Whenever a customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time offered by the Company, a specifically responsive competitive rate (RCR) matching that otherwise available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in Section 4, following.

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#### 3.5 Benchmark Rates

Certain rates set forth in Section 4 of this tariff are "benchmarked," that is, keyed to a customer's monthly revenue volume and/or term commitments. Customers whose monthly revenue volume and/or term commitments do not meet the applicable benchmark(s) may obtain the benchmarked rate pursuant to Section 3.1.1 preceding.

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# 4.1 Peak/Business Day and Off-Peak/Non-Business Day Rate Periods

The appropriate rates apply for peak and off-peak calls based on the following time periods.

Peak/Business Day: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, Saturday and

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Off-Peak/Non-Business Day: 4:01 p.m. to 8:59 a.m., Monday through Friday, Saturday and

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#### 4.2 **Rate Schedules**

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Company offers two Freedom Plans, its Freedom Plan 2000 and its Freedom Plan for Business Users. 4.2.15 Company's standard tariff rate methodology applies to each invoice under its Freedom Plan 2000. Section 5.1 applies to Company's Freedom Plan for Business Users. Initial call duration (usage) is measured by a Minimum Call Unit (MCU) of 18 seconds, with fractional MCUs rounded to the next whole MCU, i.e., to a full 18 seconds; and incremental call duration is measured by call duration segments of 6 seconds with the final call segment just prior to effective disconnection rounded to the next full 6 seconds of call duration. The provisions of Sections 3.2, 3.3, and 4.2.15.17 of this tariff apply. FPBU features a waiver of the nontransport/non-usage changes, provided the Customer has not previously canceled nor discountinued any service, has not had service cancelled or temporarily discontinued by Company, and has no record of late payment or payments withheld over disputed billings, regardless of the result of the dispute. The following Freedom Plans (collectively, the "Freedom Plans"), the Basic Q, the Classic Q, Classic 2, Classic 1, Universal, Prime 2, Prime 1, Super 1, Super 2, and Cairo Rate Plans, are offered.

#### 4.2.15.1 Basic O Rate Plan

Basic O rates are provided to customers with no minimum monthly intrastate usage requirement at the following rates:

Minimum Call Incremental Call Unit or Fraction Unit or Fraction Peak/Business Day \$0.0678 \$0.0226 Off-Peak /Non-Business Day \$0.0226 \$0.0678

#### 4.2.15.2 Classic Q Rate Plan

Classic Q rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$5.00 (C) at the following rates:

> Incremental Call Minimum Call Unit or Fraction Unit or Fraction \$0.0207 \$0.0621

#### 4.2.15.3 Classic 2 Rate Plan

Classic 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$10.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Incremental Call **Unit or Fraction Unit or Fraction** \$0.0189 Peak/Business Day \$0.0567 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0189 \$0.0567

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#### 4.2.15.4 Classic 1 Rate Plan

Classic 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$15.00 (C) at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day
Peak/Non-Business Day
Minimum Call Unit or Fraction
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#### 4.2.15.5 Universal Rate Plan

Universal rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$15.00 (C) at the following rates:

Minimum Call Incremental Call
Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day \$0.0507 \$0.0169

Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0507 \$0.0169

#### 4.2.15.6 Prime 2 Rate Plan

Prime 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$20.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Incremental Call
Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day
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#### 4.2.15.7 Prime 1 Rate Plan

Prime 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call	Incremental Call
	Unit or Fraction	Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0357	\$0.0119
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0357	\$0.0119

#### **4.2.15.8 Super 1 Rate Plan**

Super 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call	Incremental Call
	Unit or Fraction	Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0327	\$0.0109
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0327	\$0.0109

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#### **4.2.15.8** Super 2 Rate Plan

Super 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$40.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call	Incremental Call
	Unit or Fraction	<u>Unit or Fraction</u>
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0297	\$0.0099
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0297	\$0.0099

#### 4.2.15.9 Cairo 1 Rate Plan

The Cairo 1 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided exclusively to new customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00, at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0147	\$0.0049
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0147	\$0.0049

#### **4.2.15.10** Cairo 2 Rate Plan

The Cairo 2 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided to new, "saved" or "Winback" customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00, at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	
	or Fraction	or Fraction	İ
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0117	\$0.0039	İ
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0117	\$0.0039	(N)

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### 4.2 Rate Schedules (Cont'd)

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### **4.2.15.11** Limited-Class Switched Rates

4.2.15.11.1	<b>Limited-Class "X" Rates.</b> The following rates are available to new customers and "save" or "winback" customers. Calls made under these rate plans shall not be subject to the addition of Equivalent Call Unit's (ECU's) as described in the sections preceding.		(N)
Α.	X-1 Rate Plan		
	X-1 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$100.00 at the following rates:		
Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction \$0.0327 \$0.0327	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction \$0.0109 \$0.0109	     (N)
В.	X-2 Rate Plan		(N)
	X-2 rates are provided to custom monthly intrastate usage is over		
Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction \$0.0297 \$0.0297	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction \$0.0099 \$0.0099	     (N)

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4.2 Rate Schedules (Cont'd)

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### SECTION 4 \_ RATES (Cont'd)

4.2 Rate Schedules (Cont'd)

4.2.15 (Cont'd)

4.2.15.17 Rates for Calls Terminated to a Mobile Phone or Pager

From and after February 4, 2000, all calls terminated to a mobile phone or pager shall be charged the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction 90.0627 \$0.0209

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### SECTION 4 \_ RATES (Cont'd)

### 4.3 Rates for Calling Cards

Peak/Business Day

Off-Peak/Non-Business Day

Rates for calling card calls which are not associated with other services are time of day sensitive.

Minimum Call	Incremental Call
Unit or Fraction	on Unit or Fraction
\$0.0678	\$0.0226
\$0.0609	\$0.0203

### 4.4 Calling Card "Bong" Charge

A \$0.50 per call charge applies to each call initiated using calling card access.

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#### **SECTION 4 \_ RATES (Cont'd)**

### 4.5 Account Recourse Charges (ARCs)

Customers choosing to close their respective accouns with Company prior to the completion of a continuous service period of six consecutive invoices are subject to Account Recource Charges (ARCs). Account Recourse Charges include one of two adjustments in 1+ and toll free access service rate(s) and a separate adjustment in calling card rates for the final period of service which immediately precedes Customer's service termination. Application of ARC charges are determined on the day prior to the final day of active service for each Customer, that is, the last day on which Customer utilizes the Company's services. All ARCs are billed in the final invoice rendered. ARC charges do not apply if the final day of active service is the last day of the Customer's first invoice period.

- **A. Final Adjusted Invoice Rate (FAIR)** \$0.538 per applicable full billing increment For a Customer whose last service date is less than 18 days into Customer's billing cycle.
- **B.** Final Adjusted Invoice Rate (FAIR) \$0.269 per applicable full billing increment For a Customer whose last service date is more than 18 days into Customer's final billing cycle.
- C. Final Adjusted Invoice Rate (FAIR) \$0.226 per applicable full billing increment for all services plus a call set up charge of \$0.50 per call

Separate FAIR charges are applied pursuant to Company's applicable international and interstate tariffs.

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# SECTION 5 - PROMOTIONS, SPECIAL SERVICE OFFERINGS, AND TELECOMPETITIVE SERVICE OFFERINGS

#### 5.1 Freedom Plan for Business Users

Any business Customer meeting the eligibility requirements set forth following is eligible for the Freedom Plan for Business Users. The Freedom Plan for Business Users applies only to calls that originate and terminate within South Carolina during Business Day hours. The following services are eligible for the Freedom Plan for Business Users: 1+ Outbound, Toll Free Access (800/888/877), and Internet Access. The Freedom Plan for Business Users does not apply to calling card calls.

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- 5.2 Under the Freedom Plan for Business Users, the Company will waive the ECU rate component for the first and second periods of service within the regular billing cycle for each Customer eligible for and selecting the Freedom Plan for Business Users. Company's standard tariff rates apply at the expiration of this introductory period.
- 5.3 To be eligible for the Freedom Plan for Business Users, Customer must not have had its account with any carrier canceled for nonpayment of charges, must not have a history of late payment of charges at any time during the 12 month period preceding customer's service commencement date with Company, and must have originated and terminated usage within the state of South Carolina withing the 30 day period preceding customer's service commencement date with Company.

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# SECTION 5 - PROMOTIONS, SPECIAL SERVICE OFFERINGS, AND TELECOMPETITIVE SERVICE OFFERINGS (Cont'd)

#### **5.4** Call Unit Rate Guarantee.

Beginning with the effective date of this tariff following, the call unit rates under this tariff for customers using Company's Freedom Plan for Business Users are guaranteed for the same number of invoices as guaranteed for that Customer's interstate rates under Company's Tariff F.C.C. Tariff No. 4.

#### 5.5 Companion Federal Rate Guarantee.

- A. For a customer who maintains eligibility for and receives service under the Freedom Plan for Business Users, the minimum and incremental call unit rates for intrastate calls under this tariff are guaranteed for the same number of invoices, i.e., 12 invoices for customers whose peak/business day interstate usage rates are \$0.069 to \$0.149 (6 invoices for any customer whose peak/business day interstate usage rate is \$0.059), as the number of invoices guaranteed under Company's Freedom Plan for Business Users for interstate calls as provided in Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4. To qualify, the customer must contact the Company and have verified that the customer received a bona fide comparable competitive offer.
- B. Calling Card services are not eligible for this rate guarantee.

#### **5.6** Terms and Conditions.

Each term and condition of this Section 5 and Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4, including specific eligibility provisions, apply and serve to qualify the availability and continuation of a Customer's call unit rate guarantee as set forth herein.

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#### 5.7 "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion

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New customers who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below, may receive credits under the "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion as follows:

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- 1. A credit applied to customer's first, second and third invoices equal to 33% of customer's long distance call traffic charges, appearing on the same invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges, applied to the same invoice, and
- 2. A credit applied to every third invoice, starting with customer's sixth invoice (6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, etc.), equal to an average of the long distance call traffic charges appearing on the two invoices immediately preceding the credit invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges.

This promotion is non-cumulative and can not be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated. Should the calculated credit to be applied to the sixth, or subsequent invoices exceed the actual long distance call traffic charges for that credit invoice, then the credit amount is limited to the actual amount of long distance call traffic charges appearing on that credit invoice.

**Eligibility**. To be eligible for this offering, customers must: have initiated new service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service; have less than fifty dollars sixty days past due; have received consecutive and uninterrupted service; and have selected this offering prior to the charges rendered in customer's credit invoice(s). Additionally, Customers must contact the Company to confirm the promotion selection, after service initiation, to be eligible to receive the sixth and subsequent invoice credits, prior to the sixth and each subsequent invoice credit invoice.

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5.8 Advantage Card Service (ACS)

Advantage Card Service (ACS) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 5.8.1 following. Each ACS Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling equal to 30% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS Customer's non-calling card calling beginning with Customer's 2nd invoice following Customer commencement of service as an ACS Customer ("Total Calling Advantage").

#### 5.8.1 Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service (ACS) becomes available once a Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "on-line" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

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5.8 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

#### **5.8.2** Limitations and Disclaimers

- **A.** ACS is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS offerings as tariffed with the FCC.
- **B.** The ACS Total Calling Advantage will be reflected in Customer's second invoice following commencement of ACS service.
- **C.** ACS Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering, or any "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- **D.** Each month's ACS Total Calling Advantage is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).
- E. Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.4 preceding and the eligibility requirements of 5.8.1 preceding, ACS service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required 5.8.1 preceding.
- **F.** An ACS Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service forfeits all unused credits.

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5.8 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

#### 5.8.3 Reinstatement

An ACS Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage may reinstate its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

#### **5.8.4** Rates

The rates set forth in Section 4.3 preceding apply to ACS service.

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Effective: November 24, 2000

# SECTION 5 - PROMOTIONS, SPECIAL SERVICE OFFERINGS, AND TELECOMPETITIVE SERVICE OFFERINGS (Cont'd)

5.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")

#### 5.9.1 General Terms and Conditions

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Advantage Plan" or "CAP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain Company's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential Customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential Customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a Customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a Customer's right to obtain a CAP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Advantage Plan offerings are available for eligible Customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of Company originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever Company determines that but for the availability of these rates, Company will not retain an existing Customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior Customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"). The following terms and conditions must exist for any CAP to be valid.

- A. CAPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- B. A Customer or potential Customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CAP. To qualify as a similarly situated Customer for purposes of this Section, the Customer seeking the CAP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CAP as tariffed.

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

#### 5.9.1 General Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

- C. An existing Customer or potential Customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CAP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CAP tailored to that Customer's circumstances.
- D. CAPs are available for all published rates.
- E. Whenever a Customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by Company, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this Section 5.
- F. All of the conditions set forth above must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Advantage Plans. Company shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to Customer by a carrier competing with Company. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments, may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Advantage Plans.
- G. To receive the Invoice Free CAPs pursuant to 5.9.2 through and including 5.9.6 following, a Customer must call Customer Care before the issuance date of each credit bearing invoice to verify Customer eligibility except as otherwise provided following.

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# SECTION 5 - PROMOTIONS, SPECIAL SERVICE OFFERINGS, AND TELECOMPETITIVE SERVICE OFFERINGS (Cont'd)

5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

### 5.9.2 Customer 6th and 12th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th and 12th invoices as provided following.

- A. For each five and immediately succeeding six additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 11 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice and for the consecutive eleven-month period preceding Customer's 12th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
- **B.** Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th and 12th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must:
  - have initiated service;
    have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly
    usage levels for the applicable service;
    have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive
    month qualifying periods (5 and 11 months) of service;
    have received first five, then six additional consecutive and uninterrupted
    invoices over the preceding eleven-month period;
    have selected the 6th and 12th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the
    first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eleventh invoice;
    and
    pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related eleventh invoice
    in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under
    5.9.2.A, preceding.

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

### 5.9.3 Customer 6th, 10th, and 14th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 10th, and 14th invoices as provided following.

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For each five and immediately succeeding four and next immediately succeeding

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		have initiated service;
		have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service;
		have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (5, 9, and 13 months) of service;
		have received first five, nine, and then thirteen additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding thirteen-month period;
		have selected the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and
		pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related ninth and thirteenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as

calculated under 5.9.3.A, preceding.

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

#### 5.9.4 Customer "Thanks for Taking the Time" Advantage Plans

### 5.9.4.1 "Thanks for Taking the Time" – 1 ("TTT-1") Advantage Plan

On and after June 19, 2000, any end user contacted by a sales/marketing representative of Company and which has taken the time to listen to the services and benefits offered by Company is entitled to receive a debit card under Company's "Thanks for Taking the Time" ("TTT-1") service promotion.

**5.9.4.1.1** Card Denominations. Under this promotion, Company's debit card is available in \$25, \$50, and \$150 denominations based on the end user's monthly volume of usage.

<u>Denomination</u>	Monthly Usage Volume
\$25.00	0 - \$49.99
\$50.00	\$50.00 - \$149.99
\$150.00	\$150.00 - \$249.99

**5.9.4.1.2** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's TTT-1 service are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments based on a minimum call unit of 60 seconds; and rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call	Incremental Call
Unit Value	Unit Value
@ 60 seconds	@ 60 seconds
or Fraction	or Fraction

\$0.226

5.9.4.1.3 Availability. Company's TTT-1 service promotion is available on and after June 19, 2000 until December 20, 2000 ("sunset date") unless sooner terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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- 5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)
  - 5.9.4 Customer "Thanks for Taking the Time" Advantage Plans (Cont'd)
    - 5.9.4.1 "Thanks for Taking the Time" 1 ("TTT-1") Advantage Plan (Cont'd)
    - 5.9.4.1.4 Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this promotion at any time prior to its sunset date; provided that any Customer which has received a TTT-1 Card prior to the sunset date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of the TTT-1 Card promotion shall receive service until its TTT-1 Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or specified usage deadline. Each TTT-1 Card expires one (1) year from date of activation.

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

#### 5.9.4 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoices as provided following.

**5.9.4.1** For each five, and the immediately succeeding three, and next immediately succeeding four, and next immediately succeeding six, and next immediately succeeding three, and next immediately succeeding four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 25 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") as for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice; for the consecutive eight-month period preceding Customer's 13th invoice; for the consecutive twelve-month period preceding Customer's 19th invoice; for the consecutive twenty-one-month period preceding Customer's 22nd invoice; for the consecutive twenty-five month period preceding Customer's 26th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

### 5.9.4 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan (Cont'd)

**5.9.4.2** Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must:

have initiated service;
have current usage which exceeds the established minimum
monthly usage levels for the applicable service;
have no 90-day or older outstanding unpaid balance, and no 60-
day or older outstanding unpaid balance equal to or greater than
\$50.00;
have received first five, eight, twelve, eighteen, twenty-one, and
then twenty-five additional consecutive and uninterrupted
invoices over the preceding twenty-five month period;
have selected the 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoice free
bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service
covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and
pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related eighth,
twelfth, eighteenth, twenty-first, and twenty-fifth invoice in
excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under
5.9.4.1, preceding.

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5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

5.9.4 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan (Cont'd)

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Contact Company's Customer Care Department to confirm eligibility and to activate the Promotion. A Customer must contact Customer Care prior to the last day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice in order to receive all six invoice credits. A Customer who meets and continues to meet all other Eligibility requirements except that it does not contact Customer Care to activate the promotion until a date subsequent to the last day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice, will receive all credits on specified invoices (9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th) generated by Company after the required contact with Customer Care is made, but will not retroactively receive a credit for any specified invoice already generated by Company.

Example:

A Customer that meets all other eligibility requirements, except that it does not contact Customer Care prior to the last day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice to activate the promotion, calls Customer Care to activate the promotion two weeks later. The Customer will receive credits calculated according to Section 5.9.4.1 preceding for the 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoices; the Customer will not retroactively receive the 6th invoice credit to which it would otherwise have been entitled.

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#### 5.9 Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

### 5.9.5 Save/Winback Off-Peak/Non-Business Day Adjustments

Customers whose rates are adjusted pursuant to 4.2.15.9 preceding and who then qualify as a "save" or "winback" customer are eligible to be rerated to the rates prior to any applicable adjustment made pursuant to 4.2.15.9.

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#### 5.10 1st and 3rd Invoice Credits

For new customers and those qualifying as save or winback customers, and who meet the eligibility requirements of Section 5.10.A following, a credit equal to customer's monthly Total Call Unit charges in the first and third invoices (exclusive therefore of fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments or other non-TCU charges - "Qualifying Charges"). The credit will issue with the first and third invoices in the form of that number of pre-paid calling cards at a \$50.00 denomination that equals the total of the customer's Qualifying Charges for the first and third invoices. A customer's Qualifying Charges will be rounded up to that number of \$50.00 pre-paid cards that equals or exceeds the totals of Qualifying Charges in customer's first and third invoices. For example, if a customer's Qualifying Charges in the first invoice total \$125.00, three pre-paid \$50.00 calling cards (a total of \$150.00) would be provided and remain activated until fully decremented.

#### A. Eligibility

To be eligible for the first and third invoice credits, each customer must have initiated the TCU service; have current usage which exceeds applicable monthly minimum usage levels, if any; have a credit worthy history or profile; have received three consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding three month period; have selected the first and third invoice credit prior to the first day of service; and timely pay all Qualifying and non-Qualifying Charges rendered in the customer's first, second, and third invoices.

#### B. Terms

Each \$50.00 pre-paid calling card is decremented at the rates set forth in Section 4.3 for peak rates with each fractional increment of less than 60 seconds rounded to the next full 60 second increment (full minute billing). Rates are distance and time-of-day insensitive.

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### 5.11 20% Credit Every 6 Months

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Company will offer the following to new business customers and existing business customers who qualify as a "save" or "winback" customer whose service plan calculates charges by Total Call Units (TCUs):

To receive the bene	fits, eligible customers must call a Company Customer Care Representative.
	Eligible customers will accrue a 20 percent credit on intrastate usage for direct Dial "1" and toll
	free calls, equal to the customer's charges during the preceding 5-month's usage, to be
	applied to the customer's 6-month invoice. The 20 percent credit will be applied to the
	customer's account once every 6 months so long as the subscriber remains a Company
	customer during each 6-month period, or they will forfeit all benefits.
	Credits will not apply to calls made to Directory Assistance, taxes, access fees, or other fees and
	assessments, and may not be combined with any other credits, promotions, or offers
	except promotional debit cards, referral credits, and the free minutes offers.
	Customers will not receive credit if the customer has a 60-day outstanding balance of \$50 or
	greater.

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#### 5.12 Freedom Plan Plus (FPP)

Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or "save" under Telecompetitive Service Offerings ("TSO's"), and who Company determines that but for the availability of an alternative rate plan structure, Company would not be able to retain ("save"), or will not be able to winback a prior customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"), may be offered Freedom Plan Plus. The Freedom Plan Plus telecompetitive service offering, whenever added to a customers calling plan, is limited in duration to six consecutive invoices once initiated.

Freedom Plan Plus customers' accounts are subject to ninety-six (96) second Minimum Call Units (MCU's) and Incremental Call Units (ICU's), with rounding to the next full ninety-six (96) second increment thereafter, unless subject to other rounding methodology under a telecompetitive service offer. However, Customers under Freedom Plan Plus receive a waiver of Equivalent Call Units (ECU's). That is, Customers under Freedom Plan Plus are charged, on a per-call basis, for the duration of a call only.

All conditions applicable to Freedom Plan customers must be satisfied in order for a customer to qualify for Freedom Plan Plus. A Customer under Freedom Plan Plus shall be billed at Freedom Plan Rates for Freedom Plan Services, as determined by the Customer's applicable Freedom Plan Rate Category. However, Freedom Plan Plus Customers' accounts must have an applicable Freedom Plan Rate Category which corresponds to a call unit rate of \$0.119 or higher. Freedom Plan customers who select Freedom Plan Plus, whose accounts are subject to a Freedom Plan Rate Category which corresponds to a lower call unit rate than \$0.119 will have their Rate Category adjusted upward to a Rate Category corresponding to a call unit rate of \$0.119 or higher. The same promotions and incentives available to other Freedom Plan customers are available to Freedom Plan Plus customers, subject to the same qualifications and other requirements applicable to other Freedom Plan customers for those promotions or incentives.

As of October 1, 2003, any Customer who has had the Freedom Plan Plus service offering active on their account for six or more consecutive invoices shall have this offering removed from their calling plan.

All Freedom Plan Plus customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted upward by two Rate Categories or to the highest available rate category, whichever is lower, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.

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### **5.13** Non-Voice Communications

For any Customer who qualifies as a "save" or "winback" Customer, Company shall waive non-transport/non-usage charges (equivalent call units) for lines used for non-voice communications, i.e., facsimile and/or modem lines.

## 5.14 Save/Winback Off-Peak/Non-Business Day Adjustments

Customers whose rates are adjusted pursuant to Section 5.12.2.G preceding and who qualify as a "save" or "winback" customer are eligible to be rerated to the off-peak rate prior to any applicable adjustment made pursuant to Section 5.12.2.G.

- **5.15 Directory Assistance Charge:** \$1.25/per call
- **5.16** Remote Access Surcharge: A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones using a

Per Call: \$0.30

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- **Service Term Invoice Free Credit**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 5.15.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit.
  - **5.15.1 Credit.** For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive five months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for five months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **5.15.2** Eligibility. To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit, each customer must:
    - **A.** Have initiated service under a Freedom Plan for Business Users Plan;
    - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable Freedom Plan for Business Users Plan;
    - C. Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
    - **D.** Have received five months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
    - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit at the initiation of service or at any time during the first five service months but not later than the first day of service in the sixth month; and,
    - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 5.15.1, preceding.

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- **Service Term Invoice Free Credit II**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 5.16.2 shall receive the ServiceTerm Invoice Free Credit II.
  - **5.16.1 Credit.** For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive three months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for three months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **5.16.2** Eligibility. To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II, each customer must:
    - **A.** Have initiated service under a Freedom Plan for Business Users Plan;
    - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable Freedom Plan for Business Users Plan;
    - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
    - **D.** Have received three months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
    - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit II at the initiation of service or at any time during the first three service months but not later than the first day of service in the fourth month; and,
    - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 5.16.1, preceding.

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### 5.17 Cross Over Special Service Offers

### 5.17.1 Cross Over Credit (COC)

A. To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Credit" or "COC" equal to 5% of the customer's usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

## B. Limitations and Disclaimers

The COC credit is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC and the respective states.
If earned, as specified in Section 5.17.1.A preceding, the COC will be reflected in that customer's first invoice which follows customer's completion of 60 days of uninterrupted service following its commencement of service.
This credit is not available with Company's offering set forth in Section 5.17.2 following.
The COC is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).
A customer whose service is terminated for cause or who terminates Company's service in its discretion prior to the completion of its minimum service term forfeits its COC credit.

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## 5.17 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)

### **5.17.2** Cross Over Century Card (COCC)

A. To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Century Card" or "COCC," a prepaid calling card worth \$100 for each \$1000 of usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

### **B.** Limitations and Disclaimers

This offer is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC and the respective states.
The COCC card will be issued following Customer's commencement of service
This offer is not available with Company's 5% credit offer set forth in Section 5.17.1 preceding.
The COCC card expires within 6 months of its issuance date ("use period") irrespective of the balance of the COCC card's face value when issued, if any, remaining at the date of expiration.
Customer must remain in service during the period of time that any unused balance exists on the COCC card; must have no delinquencies in payments on account for its non-calling card and non-COCC card services; and must have no bill cycle interruptions.

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- 5.17 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)
  - 5.17.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC) (Cont'd)
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      - □ To qualify for each \$100 of face value on COCC, the customer's previous usage will be segmented into \$100 usage "packets" as follows:

Previous Usage	\$100 Packets
\$100.00	1
\$200.00	2
\$300.00	3
\$395.00	4
\$490.00	5
\$585.00	6
\$680.00	7
\$775.00	8
\$870.00	9
\$965.00 +	10

- COCC calls must originate and terminate from locations in the state from areas served with equal access. COCC calls are rated at \$0.75 per minute of use and are distance, day-of-week, and time-of-day insensitive. Non-transport charges do not apply.
- If at any time prior to the completion of its use period, any of customer's services is terminated for cause, for any service customer in its discretion terminates, or should customer fail at any time to comply with the conditions of this Section, at the time of termination or failure of compliance, the unused value of the COCC card shall be cancelled immediately by Company.

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# SECTION 9 - 011 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PLAN DESCRIPTION AND RATES

Subject to Section 2 and Section 3.5 preceding, all services offered pursuant to this Section 9 are tailored to different classes of customers whose specific service profiles are defined by likekinded characteristics as set forth herein. 011 Communications Services are offered in conjunction with related local, interstate, and international services to the extent expressly so provided herein. The following terms, conditions, and rates in Section 9 apply to the provision of intrastate long distance within South Carolina only.

### 9.1 011 Communications Service

011 Communications is a service mark representing a division of the Company. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Section 9, 011 Communications Service is available only in combination with its counterpart 011 Communications International Service offering in Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 3 and 011 Communications Interstate Service offerings in Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4.

- **9.1.1 General Terms -** 011 Communications service includes outbound 1+, facsimile, toll free access and calling card services and is available seven days a week, 24 hours a day.
- **9.1.2** Rate Description Rates are distance and time of day insensitive. Minimum call duration is billed in 60 seconds during both Peak/Business Day and Off-Peak/Non-Business Day hours, with each full or fractional increment of call duration billed in full minutes (60 seconds), that is, each non-full minute increment is rounded to the next full minute. A monthly service fee applies and miscellaneous charges apply as indicated in Section 9.2, following.

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## 9.1 011 Communications Service (Cont'd)

- **9.1.3 Usage Sensitive Charges** 011 Communications service calls are rated pursuant to the per minute of usage charges following.
  - **9.1.3.1** For 1+ (including facsimile) and toll free access calls, the rates are:

	Rate <u>Category</u>	First 60 Seconds or Fraction	Each Add'l 60 Seconds or Fraction	(T) (T)
	Standard Preferred* Winback** Evergreen***	\$0.249 \$0.149 \$0.149 \$0.139	\$0.249 \$0.149 \$0.149 \$0.139	(N) (M/T)
** Cust	** Customer must be a "save" or "winback" customer.			(T) (N) (M/T)
<b>9.1.3.2</b> For 6	calling card calls, the	e rates are:		(T)
		First 60 Seconds or Fraction	Each Add'l 60 Seconds or Fraction	
Standard/Preferred/Winback Evergreen		\$0.226 \$0.189	\$0.226 \$0.189	(T) (M/T)

9.1.3.3	Any customers other than Standard Rate Category customers, in service on or before	(N/I)
	September 30, 2002, whose services are not part of a usage rate guarantee, and which	
	have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive	
	invoices, shall have their rates adjusted to the Rate Category with the next highest	İ
	rate, effective for all calls on or after January 1, 2003, that are reflected on invoices	
	rendered on or after February 1, 2003.	(N/I)

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#### 9.1 011 Communications Service (Cont'd)

### 9.1.4 Residential Unlimited Calling Program

This service is for use by residential customers who select 011 Communications service. Customers who subscribe to this voice service must select and designate NOS Communications, Inc. as its Local Exchange Carrier (LEC), and 011 Communications as its Interexchange Carrier (IXC) for interstate, International and intrastate calling, and as its intraLATA toll provider for intraLATA toll calling. Concurrent with enrollment in this plan, customers must also enroll in any companion unlimited traffic plans for all domestic traffic.

A monthly recurring charge will apply to this service as outlined below. This charge is identical to and shall not be in addition to the monthly recurring charge as outlined in any tariffs or service guides as applicable to companion Federal Service or to companion State Residential Unlimited Calling Program Services.

Monthly charge: \$59.99

The following is included in the monthly recurring charge: Unlimited domestic state-to-state (Interstate) long distance, unlimited instate (Intrastate) long distance, and unlimited local toll calls, directly dialed from home; Basic line charges and features, and voicemail.

The following are not included in the monthly recurring charge: toll-free calling, international calling, calling card calls, cellular telephone platform calls, remote call forwarding, off premise extensions, WIRE-PRO, PBX, ISDN, Foreign Exchange Numbers, Local Number Portability, non-recurring charges, operator assistance, directory assistance, directory listing options, taxes, surcharges, per use charges and custom calling features. Customers will be charged at the rates contained within the Mobile Progressive Calling plan for international calls, or at the appropriate basic rate for all services not included within the monthly recurring charge.

### 9.1.5 Limitations and Disclaimers

**9.1.5.1** No Promotional Tie-ins - Except for the credits and/or other special offers provided pursuant to Section 9.3 following, 011 Communications service is not available to any customer whose service is being provided pursuant to one or more promotional offerings tariffed herein.

**9.1.5.2 Discontinuance -** 011 Communications service, and/or any term or condition affecting the availability and/or rates for 011 Communications service may be discontinued at any time with or without notice to customer and without liability to customer, any authorized user, or third party.

**9.1.5.3 Rounding.** 011 Communications follows the industry practice of "rounding," that is, in its most basic form, when call duration does not end on the nearest whole billing increment, e.g., a sixty-second increment, the call's duration is rounded to the next whole billing increment, i.e., the next whole 60-second increment. 011 Communications services are billed as follows - initial call duration is measured in a minimum of 60 seconds, that is, durations of less than 60 seconds are rounded to a full 60 seconds, and for incremental usage, call duration is measured by call duration segments of not less than 60 seconds with the final call segment just prior to effective disconnection rounded to the next full 60 seconds of call duration.

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### 9.1 011 Communications Service (Cont'd)

## 9.1.6 VIP Prepaid Calling Service

### 9.1.6.1 General Description

- A. Company offers VIP Prepaid Calling Service throughout the State of South Carolina. Charges are not mileage, time of day or day of the week sensitive.
- B. VIP Prepaid Calling Service enables the Customer to complete an outbound call from any touch-tone or mobile phone in the State of South Carolina. Customer must register with the Company each working telephone number ("WTN") they designate to utilize the VIP Prepaid Calling Service. The VIP Prepaid Calling Service is then accessed by dialing a designated toll free number. Upon hearing a dial tone, the customer may then dial the desired telephone number directly. Once the WTN (s) is registered with the company, a personal identification number is not required. Customers calling from a non-registered WTN are required to enter their registered WTN in order to access their VIP Prepaid Calling Service.

## 9.1.6.2 Conditions of Service

- A. Calls to directory assistance and calls placed to 500, 700, 800, 900, 950 numbers will not be completed using the VIP Prepaid Calling Service.
- B. Calls may only be charged against the VIP Prepaid Calling Service account that has a sufficient available balance.
- C. Non-billable calls will not incur any surcharges, taxes or fees.
- D. VIP Prepaid Calling Service is non-refundable and will expire six months from the date of registration, or when the account balance is depleted, whichever occurs first. Each time the VIP Prepaid Calling Service is recharged the expiration date is reset for an additional six months.
- E. Neither the Company nor any authorized agents shall be liable or responsible for theft, loss, or unauthorized use of any VIP Prepaid Calling Service accounts.

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### 9.1.6 VIP Prepaid Calling Service (Cont'd)

### 9.1.6.3 Recharging Feature

- A. The Customer has the option to recharge the available balance on the VIP Prepaid Calling Service account. If an account is recharged, the remaining balance shall be decremented at the rate applicable to the Customer.
- B. To recharge the account, the Customer shall call the designated toll-free number and, in response to the automated voice prompts, provide their account information for a major credit card accepted by the Company and the WTN they want to utilize.
- C. Customers are not required to recharge their VIP Prepaid Calling Service account. When the customer's balance is depleted, customer's credit card will be recharged unless the customer has elected to disable the auto recharge function or the charge against the customer's credit card is unsuccessful. The automatic recharge feature is the default setting for all VIP pre-paid accounts. Customers may choose to disable default features at anytime following the first 60 days of service. Customers electing to disable the auto recharge function should contact customer service or access the calling platform and respond to the appropriate voice prompts. Recharge may occur during a call in order to prevent disruption of that call and uninterrupted service. If a customer's account recharge is unsuccessful, and customer's VIP Prepaid Calling account only has thirty (30) seconds talk time remaining, an announcement shall be made indicating that the call shall be automatically terminated when the Card's balance is extinguished.
- D. The Company may immediately, and without prior notice to the Customer, terminate the recharge option for a particular VIP Prepaid Calling Service account for any of the reasons specified in Section 2 of this Tariff.

### 9.1.6.4 <u>Credit Allowance for Interruptions</u>:

- A. Customers who experience call interruption due to poor transmission, one-way transmission, or involuntary disconnection of the call may obtain a credit allowance. The credit allowance will be equal to the dollar value or minute equivalent for the duration of the call that is interrupted.
- B. In order to receive a credit allowance, the Customer must notify the Company at the designated Customer Service number within 30 days from the date of the interruption. The Customer must also furnish the called number, description of the trouble experienced, approximate time the call was placed, and the duration of the interruption.
- C. Credit allowances are not issued for interruptions that are due to the failure of power, equipment or systems not provided by the Company or interruptions that are not properly reported to the company.

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#### 9.1 011 Communications Service (Cont'd)

#### 9.1.6 VIP Prepaid Calling Service (Cont'd)

### 9.1.6.5 Fees and Surcharges

- A. Payphone Origination: A \$0.99 surcharge will be added to all VIP Prepaid Calling Service calls that originate at payphones. The surcharge will be assessed in addition to any other rates and fees.
- B. Surcharge: A 20% surcharge will be assessed for each call made using the VIP Prepaid Calling Service that originates and terminates between any two points within the state of South Carolina.
- C. Operator Assisted Calls: A \$0.49 per minute surcharge will be applied to all calls placed with the assistance of the Company's operator. The surcharge will be assessed in addition to any other rates and fees.
- Non-registered WTNs: A \$0.65 surcharge will be applied for any calls made D from a non-registered WTN.
- E. Universal Service Fee (USF)- 2.8900 % based on intrastate revenue.

### 9.1.6.6 Timing of Calls

Chargeable time begins when the calling and the called station are connected. Chargeable time ends when the calling station terminates the call, thereby releasing the network connection. If the called party hangs up but the calling station does not, chargeable time ends when the network connection is released by automatic timing equipment or the Customer initiates another call by pressing the # button prior to the release of the network connection by Company.

### 9.1.6.7 Billing Minimum and Increments

Each call made on the VIP Prepaid Calling Service is billed for a minimum of one minute and rounded up to the nearest three-minute increment thereafter.

### 9.1.6.8 Intrastate Rates

Rate Category	Rate Plan	Cents Per Minute Rate	Required Minimum Monthly Intrastate
		Nate	Usage
IV	VIP 4	\$0.096	\$0.00
III	VIP 3*	\$0.096	\$25.00
II	VIP 2	\$0.080	\$50.00
I	VIP 1*	\$0.080	\$100.00

<sup>\*</sup> VIP prepaid customers with service under rate categories I or III are eligible to have the 20% surcharge waived.

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### 9.1 011 Communications Service (Cont'd)

### 9.1.6 <u>VIP Prepaid Calling Service</u> (Cont'd)

### 9.1.6.9 <u>VIP Prepaid Calling Service Sign Up Bonus:</u>

New customers that sign up to purchase more then \$200 in prepaid calling services may receive a one-time 7.5% credit of their sign-up amount applied to their account balance. Example: If a new customer signs up for \$500, they may receive a \$37.50 one-time credit applied to their account balance. If a customer's sign-up amount is \$100-\$199.99, they may receive a one-time credit of \$5.00. New customers with a sign-up amount of \$99.99 or less are not eligible to receive this one-time credit.

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# SECTION 9 - 011 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PLAN DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

# 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges

**9.2.1 Remote Access Surcharge**: A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones

A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones using a service access code.

Per Call \$0.30

# 9.2.2 Calling Card Call Set-Up Charge

A \$0.50 per call charge applies to each call initiated using calling card access.

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- 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)
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# SECTION 9 - 011 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PLAN DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

### 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 9.2.4 Minimum Account Charges ("MACs")

Tariffed Rates

A Customer's tariffed 1+ and toll free access, calling card and MSF (monthly service fee) rates will be adjusted whenever the aggregate of the Customer's charges for all services (including interstate, intrastate, intraLATA, international and calling card services, but exclusive of fees, assessments, taxes and surcharges) for any two consecutive invoices are less than \$20.00 ("MAC threshold").

MAC Adjusted Rates

1+ and toll free	Tariffed rate plus	
access services	\$0.10 per applicable billing increment.*	
Calling Card Service	\$0.226 per applicable billing increment for all calls plus a call set up charge of \$0.50.	

\*Example: If the current rate of a customer to which the provisions of this section apply is \$0.149 per applicable billing increment, the FAIR rate is \$0.249 per billing increment, including the minimum billing increment. MAC adjusted rates appear on Customer's next immediate invoice following the second consecutive invoice whose charges are below the MAC threshold. Customers may request suspension of further MAC charges in accordance with section 9.2.4.1 and 9.2.4.2 following (i.e., Customer will be returned to the previous rate plans applicable to its services prior to its charges falling below the MAC threshold). MAC adjusted rates also apply to all periods of service for Customers qualifying as a Company "save" or "winback" Customer.

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- 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)
- 9.2.4 Minimum Account Charges ("MACs") (Cont'd)

## 9.2.4.1 Reinstatement Option A

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care or through receipt of the invoice for MAC rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services interstate, intrastate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$40.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MAC rates. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to reach the MAC threshold of charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, all applicable MAC charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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- 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)
- 9.2.4 Minimum Account Charges ("MACs")(Cont'd)

## 9.2.4.2 Reinstatement Option B

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care Department or through receipt of the invoice for MAC rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services interstate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$20.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), for the reinstatement and following invoice (two invoices), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MAC rates and charged a monthly fee of \$4.95. Any Customers whose rates have been reinstated as provided herein shall continue to receive said rates so long as each subsequent invoice meets the \$20.00 service rate threshold and the monthly fee of \$4.95 is paid on a timely basis. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to reach the MAC threshold of charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, all applicable MAC charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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### 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 9.2.5 Mid-Level Account Charges ("MACII")

A Customer's tariffed 1+ and toll free access, calling card and MSF (monthly service fee) rates will be adjusted whenever the aggregate of the Customer's charges for all services (including interstate, intrastate, intraLATA, international and calling card services, but exclusive of fees, assessments, taxes and surcharges) for any two consecutive invoices after Customer's first two consecutive invoices are at least \$20.00, but not more than \$39.99 per invoice ("MACII threshold"). MACII adjusted rates also apply to all periods of service for Customers qualifying as a Company "save" or "winback" Customer.

Tariffed Rates
1+ and toll free access
services

MACII Adjusted Rates

Tariffed rate plus
\$0.10 per applicable
billing increment.\*

\*Example: As the current rate of a customer to which the provisions of this section apply is \$0.149 per applicable billing increment, the MACII adjusted rate is \$0.249 per billing increment, including the minimum billing increment. The MACII adjusted rate billing increment is 60 seconds or a full minute. MACII adjusted rates appear on Customer's next immediate invoice following the second consecutive invoice whose charges are below the MACII threshold. Customers may request suspension of further MACII charges in accordance with Section 9.2.5.1 or 9.2.5.2 following (i.e., Customer will be returned to the previous rate plans applicable to its services prior to its charges falling below the MACII threshold).

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## SECTION 9 - 011 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PLAN DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

- 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)
- 9.2.5 Mid-Level Account Charges ("MACII") (Cont'd)

## 9.2.5.1 Reinstatement Option A

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care Department or through receipt of the invoice for MACII rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services - interstate, intrastate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$40.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MACII rates. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to exceed the MACII ceiling of \$39.99 in total charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, the MACII adjusted charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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- 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)
- 9.2.5 Mid-Level Account Charges ("MACII") (Cont'd)

## 9.2.5.2 Reinstatement Option B

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care Department or through receipt of the invoice for MACII rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services interstate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$20.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), for the reinstatement and following invoice (two invoices), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MACII rates and be charged a monthly fee of \$4.95. Any Customers whose rates have been reinstated as provided herein shall continue to receive said rates so long as each subsequent invoice meets the \$20.00 service rate threshold and the monthly fee of \$4.95 is paid on a timely basis. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to reach the MACII threshold of charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, the MACII adjusted charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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## 9.2 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 9.2.6 Monthly Service Fee

The following monthly service fee applies at the second invoice and each subsequent invoice during the service term.

\$2.95/Month/Main Billed Telephone Number

## 9.2.7 Monthly Minimum Charge

Each 011 Communications customer at the second invoice and each subsequent invoice during the service term is subject to the following minimum usage requirement.

\$20.00/Month

Customer shall be billed the difference between actual charges incurred and the monthly minimum charge specified herein, the "shortfall charge." Example, if a customer's actual charges are \$12.34, a shortfall charge of \$7.66 will appear on the invoice. The application of the shortfall charges is subject to Section 9.4 following.

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## SECTION 9 - 011 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PLAN DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

### 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Loyalty Plan" or "CLP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain the competitive position of 011 Communications by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential Customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential Customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a Customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a Customer's right to obtain a CLP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Loyalty Plan offerings featuring the specified rates for each Plan are available for eligible Customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of 011 Communications originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever 011 Communications determines that but for the availability of these rates, 011 Communications will not retain an existing Customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior Customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback").

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### 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

The following terms and conditions must exist for any CLP to be valid.

- **9.3.1** CLPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- **9.3.2** A Customer or potential Customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CLP. To qualify as a similarly situated Customer for purposes of this Section, the Customer seeking the CLP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CLP as tariffed.
- **9.3.3** An existing Customer or potential Customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CLP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CLP tailored to that Customer's circumstances.
- **9.3.4** CLPs are available for all published rates.
- **9.3.5** Whenever a Customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by 011 Communications, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this section 9.3.

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### 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

9.3.6 All of the conditions set forth in sections 9.3.1 through and including this section 9.3.6 must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Loyalty Plans. 011 Communications shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to Customer by a carrier competing with 011 Communications. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by 011 Communications prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Loyalty Plans.

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- 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)
  - 9.3.7 Customer Loyalty Plans I and II
  - **9.3.7.1 Customer Loyalty Plan I.** 011 Communications Customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in 9.3.7.1.B will receive a credit on their 13th invoice as provided following.
    - A. For each twelve invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive twelve-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
    - **B. Eligibility.** To be eligible for the 13th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
      - **1.** have initiated service under 011 Communications;
      - 2. have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive twelve-month period of service;
      - **3.** have received twelve consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twelve-month period;
      - 4. have selected the 13th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's thirteenth invoice; and
      - 5. pay all charges rendered in Customer's thirteenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 9.3.7.1.A. preceding.

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- 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)
  - 9.3.7 Customer Loyalty Plans I and II (Cont'd)
  - **9.3.7.2 Customer Loyalty Plan II.** 011 Communications Customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in 9.3.7.2.B will receive a credit on their 9th invoice as provided following.
    - A. For each eight invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive eight-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
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- **B. Eligibility.** To be eligible for the 9th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
  - **1.** have initiated service under 011 Communications;
  - 2. have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive twelve-month period of service;
  - **3.** have received eight consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding eight-month period;
  - 4. have selected the 9th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's ninth invoice; and
  - 5. pay all charges rendered in Customer's ninth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 9.3.7.2.A. preceding.

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## 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

**9.3.8 Billing Option**. Where Company determines that in order to save or winback a customer otherwise qualifying for Company's 011 Communications service and its associated Customer Loyality Plans, Company may base its rates on a minimum call duration set for in the section 9.1.2 preceding. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as terms and/or conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the non-standard billing increments as provided herein.

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### 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

### 9.3.9 Companion Federal Rate Guarantee.

A. For a customer who maintains eligibility for and receives service under the Company's 011 Communications Service, the minimum and incremental call unit rates for intrastate calls under this tariff are guaranteed for the same number of invoices, i.e., 6 invoices, as the number of invoices guaranteed under Company's 011 Communications Service for intrastate calls as provided in Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4. To qualify, the customer must contact the Company and have verified that the customer received a bona fide comparable competitive order.

## 9.3.10 Qualified Minimum Monthly Advantage (QMMA)

When Company determines that in order to save or winback a customer otherwise qualifying for Company's 011 Communications at Customer's option, Company will reduce the Minimum Monthly Usage to \$10.00 per month. Any customer saved or wonback pursuant to this QMMA remains eligible for the Advantage Card Service provided by Section 9.4 following, but can not qualify for Advantage Card Service II provided by Section 9.5 following.

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- 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)
  - **9.3.11 The 8/14-50 Service Credit.** Each 011 Communications Customer meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 9.3.11.2 following, shall receive a 8/14-50 Service Credit calculated in accordance with the following provisions.
    - A. The 8/14-50 Credit Calculation. Upon completion of a customer's first seven and then its first thirteen months of consecutive uninterrupted service, credits shall be calculated equal to fifty percent (50%) of the averages of the Customer's monthly usage (excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges). The credit appearing in the customer's eighth invoice shall be calculated at 50% of the average of charges billed in the second through seventh invoices and the credit appearing in the customer's fourteenth invoice shall be calculated at 50% of the average of charges billed in the second through thirteenth invoices.
    - **B. Eligibility.** To be eligible for the 8/14-50 Service Credit each Customer must: have initiated service at least 7 months prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's 8th invoice; continue its service through at least 13 months prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's 14th invoice; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive twelve month period of service; have received consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding seven and thirteen month periods; have selected this credit prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eighth invoice; pay all charges rendered in Customer's eighth and fourteenth invoices in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 9.3.11.1 preceding.

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## 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

### 9.3.12 Credit Series for 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th Invoices

- **A. Description.** New Customers who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a series of credits that must be accumulated consecutively through their 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th invoices. Each credit when earned will be issued in the invoice immediately following the last invoice in the applicable credit series, namely in the 6th, 12th, 18th, and 24th invoices.
- **B. Credit.** Exclusive of calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges, a series of credits equal to the average of the number of previous months' service charges in the applicable qualifying service period shall be issued, first, for the consecutive 5-month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice; second, for the consecutive 11-month period preceding Customer's 12th invoice; third, for the consecutive 17-month period preceding Customer's 18th invoice; and fourth, for the consecutive 23-month period preceding Customer's 24th invoice. Subject to 9.3.12.C following, credits are calculated based on the total of all qualifying service charges incurred for the first period of service through and including the last service month in the applicable credit series.

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## 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

### 9.3.12 Credit Series for 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th Invoices (Cont'd)

C. Eligibility. To be eligible for credits, each Customer must: have completed the months of service needed to qualify for the applicable credit in the series of service periods, e.g., 5 months for the first credit issued in the 6th invoice; 11 months for the second credit issued in the 12th invoice and so on; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service as set forth in 9.2.7 preceding; no 60-day or longer outstanding unpaid balance equal to or greater than \$5.00 during that period of service to which the credit applies; have received first 5, 11, 17, and then 23 additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices during the preceding twenty-three-month period; have selected and agreed to the terms of this credit prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and pay all charges rendered in Customer's sixth and related twelfth, eighteenth, and twenty-fourth invoices in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 9.3.12.B, preceding.

To confirm eligibility and to activate the credit series offer, Customer must initiate contact with Company's Customer Care on any day in the final month of service covered by Customer's qualifying series of invoices, but no later than the next to last day in the final month for the applicable series. A Customer who meets and continues to meet all other Eligibility requirements except that it does not initiate contact with Customer Care to activate the promotion until a date subsequent to the last day in the final month of service covered by Customer's qualifying series of invoices, will still be entitled to receive the credits for any subsequent series of invoices (e.g., the 12th, 18th, and 24th invoices) provided that at least one Customer initiated contact with Customer Care has been made. Customer will not retroactively receive a credit for any invoices in the applicable series of invoices generated by Company prior to the initial Customer initiated contact.

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- 9.3 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)
  - 9.3.12 Credit Series for 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th Invoices (Cont'd)
    - C. Eligibility (Cont'd)

Example: A Customer who meets all other eligibility requirements, except

that it does not initiate the required contact with Customer Care prior to the last day in the final month of service covered by Customer's qualifying series of invoices, calls Customer Care to activate the promotion two weeks later. The Customer will receive credits calculated according to Section 9.3.12.B, preceding, for the 11th, 17th, and 23th invoices; but will not retroactively receive the 5th invoice credit to which it would

otherwise have been entitled.

**D. Limitations and Disclaimers.** This offer may not be combined with any other offer except as expressly authorized herein. Customers choosing this Credit Series remain eligible for the Referral Credit under section 10.2.7.13 of Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4.

Customers must remain subscribed to Company service for the entire 30-day period of each month that credit is given.

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## 9.4 Advantage Card Service (ACS)

Advantage Card Service (ACS) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 9.4.1 following. Each ACS Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling up to \$20.00 per month commencing with Customer's first invoice if the ACS Customer incurs ACS charges in the service period covered by the first invoice, otherwise in the second invoice, and in either event the credit applies through and ending with Customer's seventh invoice ("Fixed Advantage Calling"). An additional allowance of free calling card calling is provided equal to 50% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS Customer's non-calling card calling billed in the Customer's 2nd through 7th invoices following Customer commencement of service as an ACS Customer ("Bonus Advantage Calling").

### 9.4.1 Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service (ACS) becomes available once an 011 Communications Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "online" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

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## 9.4 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 9.4.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General

- **A.** ACS is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS offerings as tariffed with the FCC.
- **B.** If earned as specified in 9.4 preceding, the ACS Fixed Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's first or second through seventh invoices following commencement of ACS service and the ACS Bonus Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's eighth invoice following commencement of ACS service.
- C. ACS Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering or any "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- **D.** Each month's ACS Fixed Advantage Calling is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).

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## 9.4 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

## 9.4.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General (Cont'd)

- E. Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 9.3 and 9.3.6 preceding, and the eligibility requirements of 9.4.1 preceding, ACS service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by 9.4.1 preceding.
- **F.** An ACS Customer must complete a minimum service term of seven (7) invoices with no delinquencies and no bill cycle interruptions in order for its eighth invoice to reflect the applicable Bonus Advantage Calling.
- **G.** An ACS Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service prior to the completion of its minimum service term forfeits all unused credits.

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## 9.4 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 9.4.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls

The provisions of Section 9.2.7 preceding apply to the non-calling card charges of an ACS Customer, however, the application of the shortfall provisions of Section 9.2.7 will not reduce the Fixed Advantage earned for calling card calls and the Customer will be credited with any calling card usage in excess of the total Fixed Advantage available if earned.

- Example 1: An ACS Customer is billed \$12 for 1+ calling in the month of May and makes \$18 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit in its June invoice for the \$18 of calling card calls and be assessed a shortfall of \$8 pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.2.7 preceding.
- Example 2: An ACS Customer is billed \$7 for 1+ calling in the month of October and makes \$26 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit (\$20) in its November invoice for the \$26 of calling card calls and will be credited with \$6 in excess of the calling card usage so that the shortfall assessed pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.2.7 preceding will be reduced to \$7 (\$20 minimum in 1+ usage per 9.2.7 \$7 used = \$13 shortfall \$6 in excess calling card usage = \$7 shortfall under 9.2.7 and this 9.4.3).

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## 9.4 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 9.4.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls (Cont'd)

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An ACS Customer is billed \$9 for 1+ calling in the month of February and makes \$44 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit (\$20) in its March invoice for the \$44 of calling card calls and will not be

assessed any shortfall under the provisions of section 9.2.7 preceding.

### 9.4.4 Reinstatement

An ACS Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling may reinstate its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

#### **9.4.5** Rates

Example 3:

The rates set forth in Section 9.1.3.2 apply to ACS calling card calls.

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### 9.5 Advantage Card Service II (ACS II)

Advantage Card Service II (ACS II) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 9.5.1 following. Each ACS II Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling up to \$50.00 per month commencing with Customer's first invoice if the ACS Customer incurs ACS charges in the service period covered by the first invoice, otherwise in the second invoice ("Fixed Advantage Calling"). An additional allowance of free calling card calling is provided equal to 50% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS II Customer's non-calling card calling billed in the Customer's 2nd through 7th invoices following Customer commencement of service as an ACS II Customer ("Bonus Advantage Calling").

## 9.5.1 Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service II (ACS II) becomes available once an 011 Communications Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "online" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause). Customers choosing the Qualified Minimum Monthly Advantage under 9.3.10 preceding are not eligible for ACSII.

### 9.5.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General

- **A.** ACS II is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS II offerings as tariffed with the FCC.
- **B.** If earned as specified in 9.5 preceding, the ACS II Fixed Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's first or second and each subsequent invoice following commencement of ACS II service and the ACS II Bonus Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's eighth invoice following commencement of ACS II service.
- C. ACS II Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering or any "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- **D.** Each month's ACS II Fixed Advantage Calling is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).

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## SECTION 9 - 011 COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES PLAN DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

### 9.5 Advantage Card Service II (ACS II)

### 9.5.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General (Cont'd)

- E. Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 9.3 and 9.3.6 preceding, and the eligibility requirements of 9.5.1 preceding, ACS II service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS II service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by 9.5.1 preceding.
- **F.** An ACS II Customer must complete a minimum service term of seven (7) invoices with no delinquencies and no bill cycle interruptions in order for its eighth invoice to reflect the applicable Bonus Advantage Calling.
- G. An ACS II Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service prior to the completion of its minimum service term forfeits all unused credits.

### 9.5.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls

The provisions of Section 9.2.7 preceding apply to the non-calling card charges of an ACS II Customer, however, the application of the shortfall provisions of Section 9.2.7 will not reduce the Fixed Advantage earned for calling card calls and the Customer will be credited with any calling card usage in excess of the total Fixed Advantage available if earned.

Example 1: An ACS II Customer is billed \$12 for 1+ calling in the month of May and makes \$18 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit in its June invoice for the \$18 of calling card calls and be assessed a shortfall of \$8 pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.2.7 preceding.

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### 9.5 Advantage Card Service II (ACS II)

#### 9.5.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls (Cont'd)

Example 2: An ACS II Customer is billed \$7 for 1+ calling in the month of October and makes \$26 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit (\$20) in its November invoice for the \$26 of calling card calls and will be credited with \$6 in excess of the calling card usage so that the shortfall assessed pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.2.7 preceding will be reduced to \$7 (\$20 minimum in 1+ usage per 9.2.7 - \$7 used = \$13 shortfall - \$6 in excess calling card usage = \$7 shortfall under 9.2.7 and this 9.5.3).

Example 3: An ACS II Customer is billed \$9 for 1+ calling in the month of February and makes \$44 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit (\$20) in its March invoice for the \$44 of calling card calls and will not be assessed any shortfall under the provisions of section 9.2.7 preceding.

### 9.5.4 Reinstatement

An ACS II Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling may reinstate its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS II Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

## **9.5.5** Rates

The rates set forth in Section 9.1.3.2 apply to ACS II calling card calls.

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Subject to Section 2 and Section 3.5, all services offered pursuant to this Section 10 are tailored to different classes of customers whose specific service profiles are defined by likekinded characteristics as set forth herein. In addition, these services are billed under and pursuant to the service name (under a service mark or trademark) as expressly designated in each section, following - the Signature services. Signature Services are offered in conjunction with related local, interstate and international services to the extent expressly so provided herein. The following terms, conditions, and rates in Section 10 apply to the provision of intrastate long distance within South Carolina only.

Section 10.1 through section 10.4 apply exclusively to residential customers. Section 10.5 through section 10.20 apply exclusively to business customers.

#### 10.1 International Plus Residential Service General Terms

International Plus is a service mark representing a division of the Company. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Section 10.1, International Plus Service is available only in combination with its counterpart International Plus International Service offering in Company's Federal Tariff.

- **10.1.1 Available Services.** International Plus service includes outbound 1+, facsimile, toll free access and calling card services and is available seven days a week, 24 hours a day.
- **10.1.2 Rate Description.** Rates are distance and time of day insensitive. Minimum call duration is billed in 60 second increments with each full or fractional increment of call duration billed in full minute (60 second), that is, each non-full minute increment is rounded to the next full minute.

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### 10.1 International Plus Residential Service General Terms (Cont'd)

**10.1.3 Rounding.** International Plus follows the industry practice of "rounding," that is, in its most basic form, when call duration does not end on the nearest whole billing increment, e.g., a sixty-second increment, the call's duration is rounded to the next whole billing increment, i.e., the next whole 60-second increment. International Plus services are billed as follows - initial call duration is measured in a minimum of 60 seconds, that is, durations of less than 60 seconds are rounded to a full 60 seconds, and for incremental usage, call duration is measured by call duration segments of not less than 60 seconds with the final call segment just prior to effective disconnection rounded to the next full 60 seconds of call duration.

### 10.1.4 Residential Unlimited Calling Program

This service is for use by residential customers who select International Plus service. Customers who subscribe to this voice service must select and designate NOS Communications, Inc. as its Local Exchange Carrier (LEC), and International Plus as its Interexchange Carrier (IXC) for interstate, International and intrastate calling, and as its intraLATA toll provider for intraLATA toll calling. Concurrent with enrollment in this plan, customers must also enroll in any companion unlimited traffic plans for all domestic traffic.

A monthly recurring charge will apply to this service as outlined below. This charge is identical to and shall not be in addition to the monthly recurring charge as outlined in any tariffs or service guides as applicable to companion Federal Service or to companion State Residential Unlimited Calling Program Services.

Monthly charge: \$59.99

The following is included in the monthly recurring charge: Unlimited domestic state-to-state (Interstate) long distance, unlimited instate (Intrastate) long distance, and unlimited local toll calls, directly dialed from home; Basic line charges and features, and voicemail.

The following are not included in the monthly recurring charge: toll-free calling, international calling, calling card calls, cellular telephone platform calls, remote call forwarding, off premise extensions, WIRE-PRO, PBX, ISDN, Foreign Exchange Numbers, Local Number Portability, non-recurring charges, operator assistance, directory assistance, directory listing options, taxes, surcharges, per use charges and custom calling features. Customers will be charged at the rates contained within the Mobile Progressive Calling plan for international calls, or at the appropriate basic rate for all services not included within the monthly recurring charge.

### 10.1.5 Limitations and Disclaimers

- **A. No Promotional Tie-Ins.** International Plus service is not available to any customer whose service is being provided pursuant to one or more promotional offerings tariffed herein.
- **B. Discontinuance.** International Plus service, and/or any term or condition affecting the availability and/or rates for International Plus service may be discontinued at any time with or without notice to customer and without liability to customer, any authorized user, or third party.

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### 10.1 International Plus Residential Service General Terms (Cont'd)

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- **10.1.6 Usage Sensitive Charges** International Plus service calls are rated pursuant to the per minute of usage charges following.
  - **A.** For 1+ (including facsimile) and toll free access calls, the rates are:

Rate <u>Category</u>	First 60 Seconds or Fraction	Each Add'l 60 Seconds or Fraction
Standard	\$0.249	\$0.249
Preferred*	\$0.149	\$0.149
Winback**	\$0.149	\$0.149
Evergreen***	\$0.139	\$0.139

- \* Requires a monthly minimum of \$10.00 for intrastate services.
- \*\* Customer must be a "save" or "winback" customer.
- \*\*\* Requires a monthly minimum of \$20.00 for intrastate services.
- **B.** For calling card calls, the rates are:

	First 60 Seconds or Fraction	Each Add'l 60 Seconds or Fraction
Standard/Preferred/Winback	\$0.226	\$0.226
Evergreen	\$0.189	\$0.189

C. Any customers other than Standard Rate Category customers, in service on or before September 30, 2002, whose services are not part of a usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted to the Rate Category with the next highest rate, effective for all calls on or after January 1, 2003, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after February 1, 2003.

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## 10.1.7 <u>International Plus Prepaid Calling Service</u>

### 10.1.7.1 General Description

- A. Company offers International Plus Prepaid Calling Service throughout the State of South Carolina. Charges are not mileage, time of day or day of the week sensitive.
- B. International Plus Prepaid Calling Service enables the Customer to complete an outbound call from any touch-tone or mobile phone in the State of South Carolina. Customer must register with the Company each working telephone number ("WTN") they designate to utilize the International Plus Prepaid Calling Service. The International Plus Prepaid Calling Service is then accessed by dialing a designated toll free number. Upon hearing a dial tone, the customer may then dial the desired telephone number directly. Once the WTN (s) is registered with the company, a personal identification number is not required. Customers calling from a non-registered WTN are required to enter their registered WTN in order to access their International Plus Prepaid Calling Service.

### 10.1.7.2 Conditions of Service

- A. Calls to directory assistance and calls placed to 500, 700, 800, 900, 950 numbers will not be completed using the International Plus Prepaid Calling Service.
- B. Calls may only be charged against the International Plus Prepaid Calling Service account that has a sufficient available balance.
- C. Non-billable calls will not incur any surcharges, taxes or fees.
- D. International Plus Prepaid Calling Service is non-refundable and will expire six months from the date of registration, or when the account balance is depleted, whichever occurs first. Each time the International Plus Prepaid Calling Service is recharged the expiration date is reset for an additional six months.
- E. Neither the Company nor any authorized agents shall be liable or responsible for theft, loss, or unauthorized use of any International Plus Prepaid Calling Service accounts.

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### 10.1.7 International Plus Prepaid Calling Service (Cont'd)

### 10.1.7.3 Recharging Feature

A. The Customer has the option to recharge the available balance on the International Plus Prepaid Calling Service account. If an account is recharged, the remaining balance shall be decremented at the rate applicable to the Customer.

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- B. To recharge the account, the Customer shall call the designated toll-free number and, in response to the automated voice prompts, provide their account information for a major credit card accepted by the Company and the WTN they want to utilize.
- C. Customers are not required to recharge their International Plus Prepaid Calling Service account. When the customer's balance is depleted, customer's credit card will be recharged unless the customer has elected to disable the auto recharge function or the charge against the customer's credit card is unsuccessful. The automatic recharge feature is the default setting for all International Plus pre-paid accounts. Customers may choose to disable default features at anytime following the first 60 days of service. Customers electing to disable the auto recharge function should contact customer service or access the calling platform and respond to the appropriate voice prompts. Recharge may occur during a call in order to prevent disruption of that call and uninterrupted service. If a customer's account recharge is unsuccessful, and customer's International Plus Prepaid Calling account only has thirty (30) seconds talk time remaining, an announcement shall be made indicating that the call shall be automatically terminated when the Card's balance is extinguished.
- D. The Company may immediately, and without prior notice to the Customer, terminate the recharge option for a particular International Plus Prepaid Calling Service account for any of the reasons specified in Section 2 of this Tariff.

### 10.1.7.4 Credit Allowance for Interruptions:

- A. Customers who experience call interruption due to poor transmission, one-way transmission, or involuntary disconnection of the call may obtain a credit allowance. The credit allowance will be equal to the dollar value or minute equivalent for the duration of the call that is interrupted.
- B. In order to receive a credit allowance, the Customer must notify the Company at the designated Customer Service number within 30 days from the date of the interruption. The Customer must also furnish the called number, description of the trouble experienced, approximate time the call was placed, and the duration of the interruption.
- C. Credit allowances are not issued for interruptions that are due to the failure of power, equipment or systems not provided by the Company or interruptions that are not properly reported to the company.

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### 10.1.7 <u>International Plus Prepaid Calling Service</u> (Cont'd)

### 10.1.7.5 Fees and Surcharges

A. Payphone Origination: A \$0.50 surcharge will be added to all International Plus Prepaid Calling Service calls that originate at payphones. The surcharge will be assessed in addition to any other rates and fees.

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- B. Surcharge: A 20% surcharge will be assessed for each call made using the International Plus Prepaid Calling Service that originates and terminates between any two points within the state of South Carolina.
- C. Non-registered WTNs: A \$0.65 surcharge will be applied for any calls made from a non-registered WTN.
- D. Universal Service Fee (USF): 2.8900% based on intrastate and interstate revenue.
- E. Operator Assisted Calls: A \$0.49 per minute surcharge will be applied to all calls placed with the assistance of the Company's operator. The surcharge will be assessed in addition to any other rates and fees.

### 10.1.7.6 Timing of Calls

Chargeable time begins when the calling and the called station are connected. Chargeable time ends when the calling station terminates the call, thereby releasing the network connection. If the called party hangs up but the calling station does not, chargeable time ends when the network connection is released by automatic timing equipment or the Customer initiates another call by pressing the # button prior to the release of the network connection by Company.

#### 10.1.7.7 Billing Minimum and Increments

Each call made on the International Plus Prepaid Calling Service is billed for a minimum of one minute and rounded up to the nearest three-minute increment thereafter.

#### 10.1.7.8 Intrastate Rates

Rate Category	Rate Plan	<b>Cents Per Minute</b>	Required Minimum
		Rate	Monthly Intrastate
			Usage
IV	IP 4	\$0.096	\$0.00
III	IP 3*	\$0.096	\$25.00
II	IP 2	\$0.080	\$50.00
Ι	IP 1*	\$0.080	\$100.00

<sup>\*</sup> International Plus Prepaid Calling Service customers with service under rate categories I or III are eligible to have the 20% surcharge waived.

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### 10.1.7 International Plus Prepaid Calling Service (Cont'd)

## 10.1.7.9 International Plus Prepaid Calling Service Sign Up Bonus:

New customers that sign up to purchase more then \$200 in prepaid calling services may receive a one-time 7.5% credit of their sign-up amount applied to their account balance. Example: If a new customer signs up for \$500, they may receive a \$37.50 one-time credit applied to their account balance. If a customer's sign-up amount is \$100-\$199.99, they may receive a one-time credit of \$5.00. New customers with a sign-up amount of \$99.99 or less are not eligible to receive this one-time credit.

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### 10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS)

Advantage Card Service (ACS) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 10.2.1 following. Each ACS Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling up to \$20.00 per month commencing with Customer's first invoice if the ACS Customer incurs ACS charges in the service period covered by the first invoice, otherwise in the second invoice, and in either event the credit applies through and ending with Customer's seventh invoice ("Fixed Advantage Calling"). An additional allowance of free calling card calling is provided equal to 50% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS Customer's non-calling card calling billed in the Customer's 2nd through 7th invoices following Customer commencement of service as an ACS Customer ("Bonus Advantage Calling").

#### 10.2.1 Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service (ACS) becomes available once an International Plus Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "on-line" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

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10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

#### 10.2.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General

- **A.** ACS is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion (T) ACS offerings as tariffed.
- **B.** If earned as specified in 10.2 preceding, Fixed Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's first or second through seventh invoices following commencement of ACS service and the ACS Bonus Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's eighth invoice following commencement of ACS service.
- C. ACS Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering or "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- **D.** Each month's ACS Fixed Advantage Calling is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).

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#### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

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### 10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 10.2.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General (Cont'd)

- E. Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 10.4 and 10.4.6 following, and the eligibility requirements of 10.2.1 preceding, ACS service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by 10.2.1 preceding.
- **F.** An ACS Customer must complete a minimum service term of seven (7)invoices with no delinquencies and no bill cycle interruptions in order for its eighth invoice to reflect the applicable Bonus Advantage Calling.
- G. An ACS Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminate Company's service prior to the completion of the minimum seven month service term for Bonus Advantage Calling forfeits all unused credits.

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#### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

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#### 10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

#### 10.2.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls

An ACS Customer must maintain a monthly minimum of \$20.00 in non-calling card charges to avoid shortfall charges. Customer shall be billed the difference between actual charges incurred and the monthly minimum charge of \$20.00, the "shortfall charge." For example, if a Customers's actual charges for non-calling card calls are \$12.34, a shortfall charge of \$7.66 will appear on the invoice. In addition, the Customer's rates are adjusted for the month in which the shortfall occurs to the rates in 10.3.4 following for all non-calling card and calling card usage. While shortfall charges apply to the non-calling card charges of an ACS Customer, the application of the shortfall provisions will not reduce the Fixed Advantage earned for calling card calls and the Customer will be credited with any calling card usage in excess of the total Fixed Advantage available if earned. Compare using the following examples.

Example 1: An ACS Customer is billed \$12 for 1+ calling in the month of May and makes \$18 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit in its June invoice for the \$18 of calling card calls, be assessed a shortfall of \$8 pursuant to the provisions of this Section 10.2.3, and its rates will be rerated under Section 10.3.4 following.

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#### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 10.2.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls (Cont'd)

Example 2: An ACS Customer is billed \$7 for 1+ calling in the month of October and makes \$26

worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit (\$20) in its November invoice for the \$26 of calling card calls and, will be credited with \$6 in excess of the calling card usage so that the shortfall assessed pursuant to the provisions of this Section 10.2.3 will be reduced to \$7 (\$20 minimum in 1+ usage per this Section 10.2.3 - \$7 used = \$13 shortfall - \$6 in excess calling card usage = \$7 shortfall under this

10.2.3), and its rates rerated under 10.3.4 following.

Example 3: An ACS Customer is billed \$9 for 1+ calling in the month of February and makes \$44

worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit (\$20) in its March invoice for the \$44 of calling card calls and will not be assessed any shortfall under the provisions of this Section 10.2.3 nor be subject to rerating under 10.3.4 following (because the \$9 in 1 + calling and the \$24 in calling card calling is in excess of the \$20 minimum required by this Section 10.2.3 equals \$33 in qualified billings for the

month of February).

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

## 10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 10.2.4 Reinstatement

An ACS Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling may reinstate its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

### 10.2.5 Rates

The rates set forth in Section 10.1.6.B apply to ACS calling card calls.

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

## 10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

## 10.2.6 Advantage Card Service II (ACS II)

Advantage Card Service II (ACS II) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 10.2.6.1 following. Each ACS II Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling up to \$50.00 per month commencing with Customer's first invoice if the ACS Customer incurs ACS charges in the service period covered by the first invoice, otherwise in the second invoice, and in either event the credit applies through and ending with Customer's seventh invoice ("Fixed Advantage Calling"). An additional allowance of free calling card calling is provided equal to 50% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS II Customer's non-calling card calling billed in the Customer's 2nd through 7th invoices following Customer commencement of service as an ACS II Customer ("Bonus Advantage Calling").

## **10.2.6.1** Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service II (ACS II) becomes available once an International Plus Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "online" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

## 10.2.6.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General

- **A.** ACS II is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS II offerings as tariffed.
- **B.** If earned as specified in 10.2.6 preceding, Fixed Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's first or second through seventh invoices following commencement of ACS II service and the ACS Bonus Advantage Calling will be reflected in Customer's eighth invoice following commencement of ACS II service.
- **C.** ACS II Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering or "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- **D.** Each month's ACS II Fixed Advantage Calling is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

## 10.2.6 Advantage Card Service II (ACS II)

## 10.2.6.2 Limitations and Disclaimers - General (Cont'd)

- E. Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 10.4 and 10.4.6following, and the eligibility requirements of 10.2.6.1 preceding, ACS II service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS II service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by 10.2.6.1 preceding.
- F. An ACS II Customer must complete a minimum service term of seven (7) invoices with no delinquencies and no bill cycle interruptions in order for its eighth invoice to reflect the applicable Bonus Advantage Calling.
- G. An ACS II Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service prior to the completion of the minimum seven month service term for Bonus Advantage Calling forfeits all unused credits.

### 10.2.6.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls

An ACS II Customer must maintain a monthly minimum of \$20.00 in non calling card charges to avoid shortfall charges. Customer shall be billed the difference between actual charges incurred and the monthly minimum charge of \$20.00, the "shortfall charge." For example, if a Customers's actual charges for non-calling card calls are \$12.34, a shortfall charge of \$7.66 will appear on the invoice. In addition, the Customer's rates are adjusted for the month in which the shortfall occurs to the rates in 10.3.4 following for all non-calling card and calling card usage. While shortfall charges apply to the non-calling card charges of an ACS II Customer, the application of the shortfall provisions will not reduce the Fixed Advantage earned for calling card calls and the Customer will be credited with any calling card usage in excess of the total Fixed Advantage available if earned. Compare using the following examples.

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## SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

## 10.2.6 Advantage Card Service II (ACS II)

## 10.2.6.3 Limitations and Disclaimers - Shortfalls (Cont'd)

Example 1: An ACS II Customer is billed \$12 for 1+ calling in the month of May

and makes \$18 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit in its June invoice for the \$18 of calling card calls, be assessed a shortfall of \$8 pursuant to the provisions of this Section 10.2.6.3, and its rates will be rerated under Section 10.3.4

following.

Example 2: An ACS II Customer is billed \$7 for 1+ calling in the month of October

and makes \$26 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer will receive full credit (\$20) in its November invoice for the \$26 of calling card calls and, will be credited with \$6 in excess of the calling card usage so that the shortfall assessed pursuant to the provisions of this Section 10.2.6.3 will be reduced to \$7 (\$20 minimum in 1+ usage per this Section 10.2.6.3 - \$7 used = \$13 shortfall - \$6 in excess calling card usage = \$7 shortfall under this 10.2.6.3), and its rates rerated under

10.3.4 following.

Example 3: An ACS II Customer is billed \$9 for 1+ calling in the month of February and makes \$44 worth of calling cards in the same month. The Customer

will receive full credit (\$20) in its March invoice for the \$44 of calling card calls and will not be assessed any shortfall under the provisions of this Section 10.2.6.3 nor be subject to rerating under 10.3.4 following (because the \$9 in 1 + calling and the \$24 in calling card calling is in excess of the \$20 minimum required by this Section 10.2. 6.3 equals \$33

in qualified billings for the month of February).

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# SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.2 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

# 10.2.6 Advantage Card Service II (ACS II)

## 10.2.6.4 Reinstatement

An ACS II Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling may reinstate its eligibility for the Fixed Advantage Calling by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS II Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

# 10.2.6.5 Rates

The rates set forth in Section 10.1.6.B apply to ACS II calling card calls.

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# SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

# 10.3 Miscellaneous Charges

# 10.3.1 Remote Access Surcharge:

A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones using a service access code.

<u>Per Call</u> \$0.30 (I)

# 10.3.2 Calling Card Call Set-Up Charge

A \$0.50 per call charge applies to each call initiated using calling card access.

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# SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.3 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

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## SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

## 10.3 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 10.3.4 Minimum Account Charges ("MACs")

A Customer's tariffed 1+ and toll free access, calling card and MSF (monthly service fee) rates will be adjusted whenever the aggregate of the Customer's charges for all services (including interstate, intrastate, intraLATA, international and calling card services, but exclusive of fees, assessments, taxes and surcharges) for any two consecutive invoices are less than \$20.00 ("MAC threshold").

Tariffed Rates	MAC Adjusted Rates
1+ and toll free	Tariffed rate plus
access services	\$0.10 per applicable billing increment.*
Calling Card Service	\$0.226 per applicable billing increment for all calls plus a call set up charge of \$0.50.

\*Example: If the current rate of a customer to which the provisions of this section apply is \$0.149 per applicable billing increment, the FAIR rate is \$0.249 per billing increment, including the minimum billing increment. MAC adjusted rates appear on Customer's next immediate invoice following the second consecutive invoice whose charges are below the MAC threshold. Customers may request suspension of further MAC charges in accordance with section 10.3.4.1 and 10.3.4.2 following (i.e., Customer will be returned to the previous rate plans applicable to its services prior to its charges falling below the MAC threshold). MAC adjusted rates also apply to all periods of service for Customers qualifying as a Company "save" or "winback" Customer.

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## SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.3 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 10.3.4 Minimum Account Charges ("MACS") (Cont'd)

## 10.3.4.1 Reinstatement Option A

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care or through receipt of the invoice for MAC rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services interstate, intrastate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$40.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MAC rates. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to reach the MAC threshold of charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, all applicable MAC charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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## SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

## 10.3.4 Minimum Account Charges ("MACS") (Cont'd)

## 10.3.4.2 Reinstatement Option B

Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care Department or through receipt of the invoice for MAC rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services - interstate, intrastate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$20.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), for the reinstatement and following invoice (two invoices), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MAC rates and charged a monthly fee of \$4.95. Any Customers whose rates have been reinstated as provided herein shall continue to receive said rates so long as each subsequent invoice meets the \$20.00 service rate threshold and the monthly fee of \$4.95 is paid on a timely basis. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to reach the MAC threshold of charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, all applicable MAC charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

## 10.3 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 10.3.5 Mid-Level Account Charges ("MACII")

A Customer's tariffed 1+ and toll free access, calling card and MSF (monthly service fee) rates will be adjusted whenever the aggregate of the Customer's charges for all services (including interstate, intrastate, intraLATA, international and calling card services, but exclusive of fees, assessments, taxes and surcharges) for any two consecutive invoices after Customer's first two consecutive invoices are at least \$20.00, but not more than \$39.99 per invoice ("MACII threshold"). MACII adjusted rates also apply to all periods of service for Customers qualifying as a Company "save" or "winback" Customer.

Tariffed Rates	MACII Adjusted Rates
1+ and toll free access	Tariffed rate plus
services	\$0.10 per applicable
	billing increment.*

\*Example: As the current rate of a customer to which the provisions of this section apply

is \$0.149 per applicable billing increment, the MACII adjusted rate is \$0.249 per billing increment, including the minimum billing increment. The MACII adjusted rate billing increment is 60 seconds or a full minute. MACII adjusted rates appear on Customer's next immediate invoice following the second consecutive invoice whose charges are below the MACII threshold. Customers may request suspension of further MACII charges in accordance with Section 10.3.5.1 or 10.3.5.2 following (i.e., Customer will be returned to the previous rate plans applicable to its services prior to its charges falling below the MACII threshold).

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# SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.3 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 10.3.5 Mid-Level Account Charges ("MACII") (Cont'd)

## 10.3.5.1 Reinstatement Option A

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care Department or through receipt of the invoice for MACII rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services - interstate, intrastate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$40.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MACII rates. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to exceed the MACII ceiling of \$39.99 in total charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, the MACII adjusted charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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## SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.3 Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

## 10.3.5 Mid-Level Account Charges ("MACII") (Cont'd)

## 10.3.5.2 Reinstatement Option B

After receiving direct notice from Company's Customer Care Department or through receipt of the invoice for MACII rates, Customer may request reinstatement of its previous rate plans by committing to a minimum level of service of \$40.00 per month (inclusive of all services - interstate, intrastate, intraLATA and/or international). If Customer's service charges equal or exceed \$20.00 for the period covered by the invoice immediately succeeding Customer's reinstatement request (the "reinstatement invoice"), for the reinstatement and following invoice (two invoices), Customer will be rated pursuant to its rate plans as applied prior to having qualified for the MACII rates and be charged a monthly fee of \$4.95. Any Customers whose rates have been reinstated as provided herein shall continue to receive said rates so long as each subsequent invoice meets the \$20.00 service rate threshold and the monthly fee of \$4.95 is paid on a timely basis. Should Customer fail after reinstatement to meet said commitment on a monthly going-forward basis, and/or again fail to reach the MACII threshold of charges over any two subsequent consecutive invoices, the MACII adjusted charges would be reinstated and billed on the next immediately following invoice.

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## SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Loyalty Plan" or "CLP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain the competitive position of International Plus by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential Customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential Customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a Customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a Customer's right to obtain a CLP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Loyalty Plan offerings featuring the specified rates for each Plan are available for eligible Customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of International Plus originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever International Plus determines that but for the availability of these rates, International Plus will not retain an existing Customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior Customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback").

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

The following terms and conditions must exist for any CLP to be valid.

- 10.4.1 CLPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- 10.4.2 A Customer or potential Customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CLP. To qualify as a similarly situated Customer for purposes of this Section, the Customer seeking the CLP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CLP as tariffed.
- 10.4.3 An existing Customer or potential Customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CLP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CLP tailored to that Customer's circumstances.
- **10.4.4** CLPs are available for all published rates.
- 10.4.5 Whenever a Customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by International Plus, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this section 10.4.

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# SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

10.4.6 All of the conditions set forth in sections 10.4.1 through and including this section 10.4.6 must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Loyalty Plans. International Plus shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to Customer by a carrier competing with International Plus. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by International Plus prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Loyalty Plans.

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## SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

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# 10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

# 10.4.7 Customer Loyalty Plans I and II

- **10.4.7.1 Customer Loyalty Plan I.** International Plus Customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in 10.4.7.1.B will receive a credit on their 13th invoice as provided following.
  - A. For each twelve invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive twelve-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **B. Eligibility.** To be eligible for the 13th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
    - 1. have initiated service under International Plus;
    - 2. have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive twelve-month period of service;
    - 3. have received twelve consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twelve-month period;
    - 4. have selected the 13th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's thirteenth invoice; and
    - pay all charges rendered in Customer's thirteenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 10.4.7.1.A, preceding.

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

## 10.4.7 Customer Loyalty Plans I and II (Cont'd)

- **10.4.7.2 Customer Loyalty Plan II.** International Plus Customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in 10.4.7.2.B will receive a credit on their 9th invoice as provided following.
  - A. For each eight invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive eight-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **B. Eligibility.** To be eligible for the 9th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
    - 1. have initiated service under International Plus;
    - 2. have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive twelve-month period of service;
    - **3.** have received eight consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding eight-month period;
    - 4. have selected the 9th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's ninth invoice; and
    - pay all charges rendered in Customer's ninth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 10.4.7.2.A, preceding.

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# SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

## 10.4.8 Credit Series for 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th Invoices

- **A. Description.** New Customers who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a series of credits that must be accumulated consecutively through their 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th invoices. Each credit when earned will be issued in the invoice immediately following the last invoice in the applicable credit series, namely in the 6th, 12th, 18th, and 24th invoices.
- B. Credit. Exclusive of calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges, a series of credits equal to the average of the number of previous months' service charges in the applicable qualifying service period shall be issued, first, for the consecutive 5-month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice; second, for the consecutive 11-month period preceding Customer's 12th invoice; third, for the consecutive 17-month period preceding Customer's 18th invoice; and fourth, for the consecutive 23-month period preceding Customer's 24th invoice. Subject to 10.4.8.C following, credits are calculated based on the total of all qualifying service charges incurred for the first period of service through and including the last service month in the applicable credit series.

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Residential)

10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

### 10.4.8 Credit Series for 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th Invoices (Cont'd)

C. Eligibility. To be eligible for credits, each Customer must: have completed the months of service needed to qualify for the applicable credit in the series of service periods, e.g., 5 months for the first credit issued in the 6th invoice; 11 months for the second credit issued in the 12th invoice and so on; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service as set forth in 9.2.7 preceding; no 60-day or longer outstanding unpaid balance equal to or greater than \$5.00 during that period of service to which the credit applies; have received first 5, 11, 17, and then 23 additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices during the preceding twenty-three-month period; have selected and agreed to the terms of this credit prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and pay all charges rendered in Customer's sixth and related twelfth, eighteenth, and twenty-fourth invoices in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 10.4.8.B, preceding

To confirm eligibility and to activate the credit series offer, Customer must initiate contact with Company's Customer Care on any day in the final month of service covered by Customer's qualifying series of invoices, but no later than the next to last day in the final month for the applicable series. A Customer who meets and continues to meet all other Eligibility requirements except that it does not initiate contact with Customer Care to activate the promotion until a date subsequent to the last day in the final month of service covered by Customer's qualifying series of invoices, will still be entitled to receive the credits for any subsequent series of invoices (e.g., the 12th, 18th, and 24th invoices) provided that at least one Customer initiated contact with Customer Care has been made. Customer will not retroactively receive a credit for any invoices in the applicable series of invoices generated by Company prior to the initial Customer initiated contact.

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## 10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

## 10.4.8 Credit Series for 5th, 11th, 17th, and 23th Invoices (Cont'd)

# C. Eligibility (Cont'd)

Example:

A Customer who meets all other eligibility requirements, except that it does not initiate the required contact with Customer Care prior to the last day in the final month of service covered by Customer's qualifying series of invoices, calls Customer Care to activate the promotion two weeks later. The Customer will receive credits calculated according to Section 10.4.8.B, preceding, for the 11th, 17th, and 23th invoices; but will not retroactively receive the 5th invoice credit to which it would otherwise have been entitled.

**D. Limitations and Disclaimers.** This offer may not be combined with any other offer except as expressly authorized herein. Customers choosing this Credit Series remain eligible for the Referral Credit under the Company's Federal Tariff.

Customers must remain subscribed to Company service for the entire 30-day period of each month that credit is given.

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# 10.4 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

**10.4.9 Billing Option**. Where Company determines that in order to save or winback a customer otherwise qualifying for Company's International Plus service and its associated Customer Loyality Plans, Company may base its rates on a minimum call duration set for in the section 10.1.2 preceding. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as terms and/or conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the non-standard billing increments as provided herein.

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### 10.5 International Plus Business Service

Company offers the following International Plus rate plan. Company's standard tariff rate methodology applies in each invoice under this plan. The provisions of Section 3.2 through Section 3.4 preceding apply. Initial call duration (usage) is measured by a Minimum Call Unit (MCU) of 18 seconds, with fractional MCUs rounded to the next whole MCU, i.e., to a full 18 seconds; and incremental call duration is measured by call duration segments of 6 seconds with the final call segment just prior to effective disconnection rounded to the next full 6 seconds of call duration. The International Plus Rate Plan Rates are follows:

### 10.5.1 Basic Q Rate Plan

Basic Q rates are provided to customers with no minimum monthly intrastate usage requirement at the following rates:

Minimum Call Incremental Call
Unit or Fraction
\$0.0678 Unit or Fraction
\$0.0226

# 10.5.2 Classic Q Rate Plan

Classic Q rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$5.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit
or Fraction
\$0.0621

Incremental Call Unit
or Fraction
\$0.0207

### 10.5.3 Classic 2 Rate Plan

Classic 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$10.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day \$0.0567 \$0.0189
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0567 \$0.0189

### 10.5.4 Classic 1 Rate Plan

Classic 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$15.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction Or Fraction

Peak/Business Day \$0.0537 \$0.0179

Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0537 \$0.0179

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# 10.5 International Plus Plan Services & Rates (Cont'd)

# 10.5.5 Universal Rate Plan

Universal rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$20.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit or Fraction	Incremental Call Uni
	or Fraction
\$0.0507	\$0.0169
\$0.0507	\$0.0169
	or Fraction \$0.0507

# 10.5.6 Prime 2 Rate Plan

Prime 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction	Incremental Call Unit	
		or Fraction	
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0387	\$0.0129	
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0387	\$0.0129	

## 10.5.7 Prime 1 Rate Plan

Prime 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit
Peak/Business Day	or Fraction \$0.0357	or Fraction \$0.0119
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0357	\$0.0119

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#### 10.5 International Plus Plan Services & Rates (Cont'd)

#### 10.5.8 **Super 1 Rate Plan**

Super 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly interstate usage is over \$35.00 at the following rates:

> Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0109 Peak/Business Day \$0.0327 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0327 \$0.0109

#### 10.5.9 **Super 2 Rate Plan**

Super 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$40.00 at the following rates:

> Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction Peak/Business Day \$0.0297 \$0.0099 \$0.0099 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0297

#### 10.5.10 Cairo 1 Rate Plan

The Cairo 1 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided exclusively to new customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00, at the following rates:

> Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0049 Peak/Business Day \$0.0147 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0049 \$0.0147

#### 10.5.11 Cairo 2 Rate Plan

The Cairo 2 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided to new, "saved" or "Winback" customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00, at the following rates:

> Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0117 \$0.0039 Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0039 \$0.0117

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## 10.5 International Plus Plan Services & Rates (Cont'd)

## 10.5.12 Limited-Class Switched Rates

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**10.5.12.1 Limited-Class "X" Rates.** The following rates are available to new customers and "save" or "winback" customers. Calls made under these rate plans shall not be subject to the addition of Equivalent Call Unit's (ECU's) as described in the sections preceding.

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# A. X-1 Rate Plan

X-1 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$100.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call UnitIncremental Call Unitor Fractionor Fraction\$0.0327\$0.0109\$0.0327\$0.0109

Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/Non-Business Day

# B. X-2 Rate Plan

X-2 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$110.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction

Peak/Business Day \$0.0297 \$0.0099

Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0297 \$0.0099

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#### 10.6 Rates for Calls Terminated to a Mobile Phone or Pager

All calls terminated to a mobile phone or pager shall be charged the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0627 \$0.0209

#### 10.7 **Rates for Calling Cards**

Peak/Business Day

Rates for calling card calls which are not associated with other services are time of day sensitive.

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0678 \$0.0226 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0609 \$0.0203

#### 10.8 **Reserved for Future Use**

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#### 10.9 **Graduated Rate Categories**

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Carrier offers services under this Section based on the Rate Plans and categories as specified following. Rates are graduated as shown in Table 1 following, higher to lower, that is, Rate Category I for Cairo 2 Rate Plan contains Carrier's lowest offered rates and Rate Category XI for the Basic Q Rate Plan contains Carrier's top rates.

Table 1

Rate Plan	Rate Category
Basic Q	XI
Classic Q	X
Classic 2	IX
Classic 1	VIII
Universal	VII
Prime 2	VI
Prime 1	V
Super 1	IV
Super 2	III
Cairo 1	П
Cairo 2	I

- 10.9.1 Any Rate Category I-IX customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted upward by two Rate Categories, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.
- 10.9.2 Any Rate Category X customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted to Rate Category XI, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.

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# 10.10 Calling Card "Bong" Charge

A \$0.50 per call charge applies to each call initiated using calling card access.

# 10.11 Directory Assistance Rate per call:

\$1.25

# 10.12 Miscellaneous Charges

A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones using a service access code.

Per Call \$0.30

# 10.13 Reserved for Future Use.

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### 10.14 "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion

New customers who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below, may receive credits under the "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion as follows:

- 1. A credit applied to customer's first, second and third invoices equal to 33% of customer's long distance call traffic charges, appearing on the same invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges, applied to the same invoice, and
- 2. A credit applied to every third invoice, starting with customer's sixth invoice (6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, etc.), equal to an average of the long distance call traffic charges appearing on the two invoices immediately preceding the credit invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges.

This promotion is non-cumulative and can not be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated. Should the calculated credit to be applied to the sixth, or subsequent invoices exceed the actual long distance call traffic charges for that credit invoice, then the credit amount is limited to the actual amount of long distance call traffic charges appearing on that credit invoice.

**Eligibility**. To be eligible for this offering, customers must: have initiated new service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service; have less than fifty dollars sixty days past due; have received consecutive and uninterrupted service; and have selected this offering prior to the charges rendered in customer's credit invoice(s). Additionally, Customers must contact the Company to confirm the promotion selection, after service initiation, to be eligible to receive the sixth and subsequent invoice credits, prior to the sixth and each subsequent invoice credit invoice.

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### 10.15 Customer Loyalty Plans

### 10.15.1 General Terms and Conditions

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Loyalty Plan" or "CLP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain Company's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a customer's right to obtain a CLP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Loyalty Plan offerings are available for eligible customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of Company originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever Company determines that but for the availability of these rates, Company will not retain an existing customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"). The following terms and conditions must exist for any CLP to be valid.

- A. CLPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- **B.** A customer or potential customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CLP. To qualify as a similarly situated customer for purposes of this Section, the customer seeking the CLP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CLP as tariffed.

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## 10.15 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

## 10.15.1 General Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

- C. An existing customer or potential customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CLP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CLP tailored to that customer's circumstances.
- **D.** CLPs are available for all published rates.
- **E.** Whenever a customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by Company, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this Section 10.
- F. All of the conditions set forth above must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Loyalty Plans. Company shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to customer by a carrier competing with Company. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Loyalty Plans.

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### 10.15 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

## 10.15.2 Customer Loyalty Plan I

International Plus Service customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th invoice as provided following.

- A. For each five invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive five-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
- **B. Eligibility**. To be eligible for the 6th invoice free bonus, each customer must:
  - have initiated service under International Plus Service;
  - have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable International Plus Service;
  - have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive five-month period of service;
  - have received five consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding five-month period;
  - have selected the 6th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by customer's fifth invoice; and
  - pay all charges rendered in customer's fifth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 10.15.2.A preceding.

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## 10.15 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

# 10.15.3 Customer Loyalty Plan II

- **B. Eligibility.** To be eligible for the 9th invoice free bonus, each customer must:
  - have initiated service under the International Plus Service;
  - have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable International Plus Service;
  - have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive eight-month period of service;
  - have received eight consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding eight-month period;
  - have selected the 9th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by customer's eighth invoice; and
  - pay all charges rendered in customer's eighth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 10.15.3.A preceding.

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### 10.15 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

## 10.15.4 Customer Loyalty Plan III

International Plus Service customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 13th invoice as provided following.

- **A.** For each twelve invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive twelve-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
- **B. Eligibility**. To be eligible for the 13th invoice free bonus, each customer must:
  - have initiated service under the International Plus Service;
  - have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable International Plus Service;
  - have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive twelvemonth period of service;
  - have received twelve consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twelve-month period;
  - have selected the 13th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by customer's twelfth invoice; and
  - pay all charges rendered in customer's twelfth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 10.15.4.A preceding.

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### 10.15 Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

- **10.15.5 Loyalty Awards**. Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or a "save" qualify to receive additional Loyalty Awards.
  - **A.** "Welcome Back Invoice" Award. Each Customer who qualifies as either a "winback" or "save" shall receive its first invoice free, a "Welcome Back Invoice," that is, a credit equal to the charges for the first period of service (may be less than 30 days). The credit equal to the charges in the Welcome Back Invoice will appear in the invoice for the fourth billing cycle following the service period to which the Welcome Back Invoice applies.
  - **B.** Free Minutes Bonus Incentive. Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or "save" shall be awarded 500 free minutes of either domestic United States interstate calling or intrastate calling, based on the lower of the two rates.

# 10.15.6 Non-Voice Communications

For any customer who qualifies as a "save" or "winback" customer, Company shall waive non-transport/non-usage (equivalent call units) for lines used for non-voice communications, i.e., facsimile and/or modem lines.

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### 10.16 Advantage Card Service (ACS)

Advantage Card Service (ACS) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 10.16.1 following. Each ACS customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling equal to 30% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS customer's non-calling card calling beginning with customer's 2nd invoice following customer commencement of service as an ACS customer ("Total Calling Advantage").

# 10.16.1 Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service (ACS) becomes available once a customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "on-line" services offered by Company (that is, any standalone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

# 10.16.2 Limitations and Disclaimers

- **A.** ACS is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS offerings as tariffed.
- **B.** The ACS Total Calling Advantage will be reflected in customer's second invoice following commencement of ACS service.
- C. ACS Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering, or any "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- **D.** Each month's ACS Total Calling Advantage is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).

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#### 10.16 Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 10.16.2 Limitations and Disclaimers (Cont'd)

- E. Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.4 preceding and the eligibility requirements of Section 10.16.1 preceding, ACS service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such customers; provided that at the time customer is "saved" or "wonback," customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by Section 10.16.1 preceding.
- **F.** An ACS customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service forfeits all unused credits.

#### 10.16.3 Reinstatement

An ACS customer which has lost its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage may reinstate its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

#### 10.16.4 Rates

The rates in Section 10.7 preceding apply to the International Plus ACS service.

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#### 10.17 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")

#### 10.17.1 General Terms and Conditions

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Advantage Plan" or "CAP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain Company's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a customer's right to obtain a CAP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Advantage Plan offerings are available for eligible customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of Company originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever Company determines that but for the availability of these rates, Company will not retain an existing customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"). The following terms and conditions must exist for any CAP to be valid.

- A. CAPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- B. A customer or potential customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CAP. To qualify as a similarly situated customer for purposes of this Section, the customer seeking the CAP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CAP as tariffed.

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### 10.17 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 10.17.1 General Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

- C. An existing customer or potential customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CAP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CAP tailored to that customer's circumstances.
- D. CAPs are available for all published rates.
- E. Whenever a customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by Company, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this Section 10.
- F. All of the conditions set forth above must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Advantage Plans. Company shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to customer by a carrier competing with Company. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments, may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Advantage Plans.
- G. To receive the Invoice Free CAPs pursuant to Section 10.17.2 through and including Section 10.17.5 following, a customer must call Customer Care before the issuance date of each credit bearing invoice to verify customer eligibility, except as otherwise provided following.

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#### 10.17 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 10.17.2 Customer 6th and 12th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th and 12th invoices as provided following.

- A. For each five and immediately succeeding six additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 11 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding customer's 6th invoice and for the consecutive eleven-month period preceding customer's 12th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
- **B. Eligibility**. To be eligible for the 6th and 12th invoice free bonuses, each customer must:
  - have initiated service;
  - have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service;
  - have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive monthly qualifying periods (5 and 11 months) of service;
  - have received first five, then six additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding eleven-month period;
  - have selected the 6th and 12th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by customer's fifth invoice; and
  - pay all charges rendered in customer's fifth and related eleventh invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under Section 10.17.2.A preceding.

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#### 10.17 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 10.17.3 Customer 6th, 10th, and 14th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 10th, and 14th invoices as provided following.

- A. For each five and immediately succeeding four and next immediately succeeding four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 13 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding customer's 6th invoice, for the consecutive nine-month period preceding customer's 10th invoice, and for the consecutive thirteen month period preceding customer's 14th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
- **B. Eligibility**. To be eligible for the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonuses, each customer must:
  - have initiated service:
  - have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service;
  - have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive monthly qualifying periods (5, 9, and 13 months) of service;
  - have received first five, nine, and then thirteen additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding thirteen-month period;
  - have selected the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by customer's fifth invoice; and
  - pay all charges rendered in customer's fifth and related ninth and thirteenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under Section 10.17.3.A preceding.

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#### 10.17 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 10.17.4 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoices as provided following.

A. For each five, and the immediately succeeding three, and next immediately succeeding four, and next immediately succeeding six, and next immediately succeeding three, and next immediately succeeding four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 25 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the consecutive five month period preceding customer's 9th invoice; for the consecutive twelve-month period preceding customer's 13th invoice; for the consecutive eighteenmonth period preceding customer's 19th invoice; for the consecutive twenty-one-month period preceding customer's 22nd invoice; and for the consecutive twenty-five month period preceding customer's 26th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.

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#### 10.17 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 10.17.4 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan (Cont'd)

- **B.** Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoice free bonuses, each customer must:
  - have initiated service;
  - have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service;
  - have no 90-day or older outstanding unpaid balance, and no 60-day or older outstanding unpaid balance equal to or greater than \$50.00;
  - have received first five, eight, twelve, eighteen, twenty-one, and then twenty-five additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twenty-five month period;
  - have selected the 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by customer's fifth invoice; and
  - pay all charges rendered in customer's fifth and related eighth, twelfth, eighteenth, twenty-first, and twenty-fifth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under Section 10.17.4.A preceding.
  - contact Company's Customer Care Department to confirm eligibility and to activate the Promotion. A customer must contact Customer Care prior to the last day in the period of service covered by customer's fifth invoice in order to receive all six invoice credits. A customer who meets and continues to meet all other Eligibility requirements except that it does not contact Customer Care to activate the promotion until a date subsequent to the last day in the period of service covered by customer's fifth invoice, will receive all credits on specified invoices (9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th) generated by Company after the required contact with Customer Care is made, but will not retroactively receive a credit for any specified invoice already generated by Company.

Example:

A customer that meets all other eligibility requirements, except that it does not contact Customer Care prior to the last day in the period of service covered by customer's fifth invoice to activate the promotion, calls Customer Care to activate the promotion two weeks later. The customer will receive credits calculated according to Section 10.17.4.A preceding for the 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoices; the customer will not retroactively receive the 6th invoice credit to which it would otherwise have been entitled.

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## 10.17 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

# 10.17.5 Customer "Welcome Aboard" Advantage Plan

For new customers who meet the eligibility requirements of Section 10.5.1 preceding, the Company will waive the ECU rate component during Business Day hours only, and for 1+ and toll free access calls only, for the first and second invoices within the regular billing cycle. Company's standard tariff rate methodology applies from and after the third invoice.

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#### 10.18 Service Term Invoice Free Credit

New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 10.18.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit.

- 10.18.1 Credit. For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive five months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for five months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
- 10.18.2 Eligibility. To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit, each customer must:
  - **A.** Have initiated service under an International Plus Service Plan;
  - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable International Plus Service Plan;
  - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
  - **D.** Have received five months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
  - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit at the initiation of service or at any time during the first five service months but not later than the first day of service in the sixth month; and,
  - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 10.18.1 preceding.

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- **10.19 Service Term Invoice Free Credit II**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 10.19.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II.
  - **10.19.1 Credit.** For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive three months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for three months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **10.19.2** Eligibility. To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II, each customer must:
    - **A.** Have initiated service under a International Plus Service Plan;
    - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable International Plus Service Plan;
    - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
    - **D.** Have received three months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
    - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit II at the initiation of service or at any time during the first three service months but not later than the first day of service in the fourth month; and,
    - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 10.19.1, preceding.

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Business)

### 10.20 Cross Over Special Service Offers

## 10.20.1 Cross Over Credit (COC)

A. To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Credit" or "COC" equal to 5% of the customer's usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

### B. Limitations and Disclaimers

- The COC credit is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed.
- If earned, as specified in Section 10.20.1.A preceding, the COC will be reflected in that customer's first invoice which follows customer's completion of 60 days of uninterrupted service following its commencement of service.
- This credit is not available with Company's offering set forth in Section 10.20.2 following.
- The COC is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).
- A customer whose service is terminated for cause or who terminates Company's service in its discretion prior to the completion of its minimum service term forfeits its COC credit.

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### SECTION 10 - INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Business)

### 10.20 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)

## 10.20.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC)

A. To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Century Card" or "COCC," a prepaid calling card worth \$100 for each \$1000 of usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

### B. Limitations and Disclaimers

- This offer is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed.
- The COCC card will be issued following Customer's commencement of service.
- This offer is not available with Company's 5% credit offer set forth in Section 10.20.1 preceding.
- The COCC card expires within 6 months of its issuance date ("use period") irrespective of the balance of the COCC card's face value when issued, if any, remaining at the date of expiration.
- Customer must remain in service during the period of time that any unused balance exists on the COCC card; must have no delinquencies in payments on account for its non-calling card and non-COCC card services; and must have no bill cycle interruptions.

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### SECTION 10 – INTERNATIONAL PLUS SERVICES AND RATES (Cont'd) (Business)

### 10.20 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)

## 10.20.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC) (Cont'd)

## B. Limitations and Disclaimers (Cont'd)

• To qualify for each \$100 of face value on COCC, the customer's previous usage will be segmented into \$100 usage "packets" as follows:

Previous Usage	\$100 Packets
\$100.00	1
\$200.00	2
\$300.00	3
\$395.00	4
\$490.00	5
\$585.00	6
\$680.00	7
\$775.00	8
\$870.00	9
\$965.00 +	10

- COCC calls must originate and terminate from locations in the state from areas served with equal access. COCC calls are rated at \$0.75 per minute of use and are distance, day-of-week, and time-of-day insensitive. Non-transport charges do not apply.
- If at any time prior to the completion of its use period, any of customer's services is terminated for cause, for any service customer in its discretion terminates, or should customer fail at any time to comply with the conditions of this Section, at the time of termination or failure of compliance, the unused value of the COCC card shall be cancelled immediately by Company.

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### 11.1 INETBA Service

The Internet Business Association **INETBA Service** offers intrastate interexchange services in exclusive combination with its Internet Web page design and hosting services and its Internet Access - DSL services where facilities are available. Any small business which orders Company's Internet Web page design and hosting services and whose usage exceeds the monthly minimum usage levels set forth following and meets the eligibility requirements set forth following is eligible for INETBA Service. INETBA Service is available for calls that originate and terminate within this state, and includes 1+ Outbound, Toll Free Access (800/888/877), and Calling Card calling. All provisions of Sections 1, 2, 3.2, and 4.4 - 4.5 of this tariff apply to INETBA Services except as otherwise provided following.

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# SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

## 11.1.1 INETBA Companion Federal Rate Guarantee

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A. For a customer who maintains eligibility for and receives service under the INETBA Service, the usage rates for Peak/Business Day hours under this tariff for customers using Company's INETBA Service are guaranteed for the same number of invoices, i.e., 12 invoices for customers whose peak/business day interstate usage rates are \$0.069 to \$0.149 (6 invoices for any customer whose peak/business day interstate usage rate is \$0.059), as the number of invoices guaranteed under Company's INETBA Service for interstate calls as provided in Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4. Calling card services are not eligible for this rate guarantee. To qualify, the customer must contact the Company and have verified that the customer received a bona fide comparable competitive offer.

### 11.1.2 INETBA Service Terms and Conditions

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Each term and condition of this Section 11 and Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4, including specific eligibility provisions, apply and serve to qualify the availability and continuation of a customer's usage rate guarantee as set forth herein.

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# SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

## 11.2 "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion

New customers who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below, may receive credits under the "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion as follows:

- 1. A credit applied to customer's first, second and third invoices equal to 33% of customer's long distance call traffic charges, appearing on the same invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges, applied to the same invoice, and
- 2. A credit applied to every third invoice, starting with customer's sixth invoice (6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, etc.), equal to an average of the long distance call traffic charges appearing on the two invoices immediately preceding the credit invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges.

This promotion is non-cumulative and can not be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated. Should the calculated credit to be applied to the sixth, or subsequent invoices exceed the actual long distance call traffic charges for that credit invoice, then the credit amount is limited to the actual amount of long distance call traffic charges appearing on that credit invoice.

**Eligibility**. To be eligible for this offering, customers must: have initiated new service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service; have less than fifty dollars sixty days past due; have received consecutive and uninterrupted service; and have selected this offering prior to the charges rendered in customer's credit invoice(s). Additionally, Customers must contact the Company to confirm the promotion selection, after service initiation, to be eligible to receive the sixth and subsequent invoice credits, prior to the sixth and each subsequent invoice credit invoice.

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### 11.4 INETBA Service Rates

The following INETBA Service Plans, the Basic Q, Classic Q, Classic 2, Classic 1, Universal, Prime 1, Prime 2, Super 1, Super 2, and Cairo Rate Plans are offered. The INETBA Plan Rates are as follows:

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## 11.4.1 Basic Q Rate Plan

Basic Q rates are provided to customers with no minimum monthly intrastate usage requirement at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Dayor Fraction<br/>\$0.0678or Fraction<br/>\$0.0226Off-Peak/Non-Business Day\$0.0678\$0.0226

### 11.4.2 Classic Q Rate Plan

Classic Q rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$5.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

<u>or Fraction</u> <u>or Fraction</u> \$0.0621 \$0.0207

### 11.4.3 Classic 2 Rate Plan

Classic 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$10.00 (C) at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Dayor Fraction<br/>\$0.0567or Fraction<br/>\$0.0189Off-Peak/Non-Business Day\$0.0567\$0.0189

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## 11.4 INETBA Service Rates (Cont'd)

## 11.4.4 Classic 1 Rate Plan

Classic 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$15.00 (C) at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Dayor Fraction<br/>\$0.0537or Fraction<br/>\$0.0179Off-Peak/Non-Business Day\$0.0537\$0.0179

#### 11.4.5 Universal Rate Plan

Universal rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$20.00 (C) at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Dayor Fraction<br/>\$0.0507or Fraction<br/>\$0.0169Off-Peak/Non-Business Day\$0.0507\$0.0169

# 11.4.6 Prime 2 Rate Plan

Prime 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Dayor Fraction<br/>\$0.0387or Fraction<br/>\$0.0129Off-Peak/Non-Business Day\$0.0387\$0.0129

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## 11.4 INETBA Service Rates (Cont'd)

## 11.4.7 Prime 1 Rate Plan

Universal rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Dayor Fraction<br/>\$0.0357or Fraction<br/>\$0.0119Off-Peak/Non-Business Day\$0.0357\$0.0119

## 11.4.8 Super 1 Rate Plan

Super 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$35.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Dayor Fraction<br/>\$0.0327or Fraction<br/>\$0.0109Off-Peak/Non-Business Day\$0.0327\$0.0109

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# 11.4 INETBA Service Rates (Cont'd)

# 11.4.9 Super 2 Rate Plan

Super 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$40.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction

Peak/Business Day \$0.0297 \$0.0099

Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0297 \$0.0099

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#### **INETBA Service Rates (Cont'd)** 11.4

11.4.10 Cairo 1 Rate Plan (T)

The Cairo 1 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided exclusively to new customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00, at the following rates:

> Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction Peak/Business Day \$0.0147 \$0.0049 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0147 \$0.0049

## 11.4.11 Cairo 2 Rate Plan

Peak/Business Day

Off-Peak/Non-Business Day

The Cairo 2 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided to new, "saved" or "Winback" customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00, at the following rates:

> Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0117 \$0.0039 \$0.0039 \$0.0117

#### 11.4.12 **Directory Assistance Charge:** \$1.25/per call

11.4.13 **Remote Access Surcharge:** A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones using (M) a service access code.

Per Call: \$0.30

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# 11.4 INETBA Service Rates (Cont'd)

### 11.4.14 Limited-Class Switched Rates

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11.4.14.1	<b>Limited-Class "X" Rates.</b> The following rates are available to new customers and "save" or "winback" customers. Calls made under these rate plans shall not be subject to the addition of Equivalent Call Unit's (ECU's) as described in the sections preceding.		(N)	
	A.	X-1 Rate Plan		
		X-1 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$100.00 at the following rates:		
		Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	
Peak/Business Day		or Fraction \$0.0327	or Fraction \$0.0109	ļ
Off-Peak/Non-Business	Day	\$0.0327	\$0.0109	(N)
	В.	X-2 Rate Plan		(N)
		X-2 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$110.00 at the following rates:		
		Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	
D1-/D		or Fraction	or Fraction	ļ
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Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/Non-Business	Day			(N)

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# 11.4 INETBA Service Rates (Cont'd)

# 11.4.17 Rates for Calls Terminated to a Mobile Phone or Pager

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From and after February 4, 2000, all calls terminated to a mobile phone or pager shall be charged the following rates:

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Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit
or Fraction	or Fraction
\$0.0627	\$0.0209

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# 11.5 INETBA Service Rates for Calling Cards

Rates for calling card calls are time of day sensitive.

	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/	\$0.0678	\$0.0226
Non-Business Day	\$0.0609	\$0.0203

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#### 11.6 **INETBA Service - Graduated Rate Categories**

Carrier offers services under this Section based on the Rate Plans and categories as specified following. Rates are graduated as shown in Table 1 following, higher to lower, that is, Rate Category I for Cairo 2 Rate Plan contains Carrier's lowest offered rates and Rate Category XI for the Basic Q Rate Plan contains Carrier's top rates.

Table 1

Rate Plan	Rate Category
Basic Q	XI
Classic Q	X
Classic 2	IX
Classic 1	VIII
Universal	VII
Prime 2	VI
Prime 1	V
Super 1	IV
Super 2	Ш
Cairo 1	П
Cairo 2	I

- 11.6.1 Any Rate Category I-IX customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted upward by two Rate Categories, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.
- 11.6.2 Any Rate Category X customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted to Rate Category XI, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.

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# 11.7 INETBA Service Customer Loyalty Plans

### 11.7.1 General Terms and Conditions

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Loyalty Plan" or "CLP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain Company's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential Customers. which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential Customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a Customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a Customer's right to obtain a CLP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Loyalty Plan offerings are available for eligible Customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of Company originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever Company determines that but for the availability of these rates, Company will not retain an existing Customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior Customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"). The following terms and conditions must exist for any CLP to be valid.

- A. CLPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- **B.** A Customer or potential Customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CLP. To qualify as a similarly situated Customer for purposes of this Section, the Customer seeking the CLP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CLP as tariffed.

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# 11.7 INETBA Service Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

## 11.7.1 General Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

- C. An existing Customer or potential Customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CLP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CLP tailored to that Customer's circumstances.
- **D.** CLPs are available for all published rates.
- **E.** Whenever a Customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by Company, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this Section 11.
- F. All of the conditions set forth above must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Loyalty Plans. Company shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to Customer by a carrier competing with Company. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Loyalty Plans.

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### 11.7 INETBA Service Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

# 11.7.2 Customer Loyalty Plan I

INETBA Service Customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th invoice as provided following.

calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive five-

11.7.2.1For each five invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be

	onth period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the voice in which the credit is applied.
<b>11.7.2.2</b> Eligibility	. To be eligible for the 6th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
	have initiated service under INETBA Service;
	have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA Service;
	have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive five-month period of service;
	have received five consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding five-month period;
	have selected the 6th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and
	pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 11.7.2.1

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# 11.7 INETBA Service Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

# 11.7.3 Customer Loyalty Plan II

INETBA Service Customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 9th invoice as provided following.

calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's

monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and

11.7.3.1For each eight invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be

mor	ilar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive eight- nth period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the pice in which the credit is applied.
<b>11.7.3.2</b> Eligibility.	To be eligible for the 9th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
	have initiated service under the INETBA Service;
	have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA Service;
	have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive eight-month period of service;
	have received eight consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding eight-month period;
	have selected the 9th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eighth
	invoice; and pay all charges rendered in Customer's eighth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under

11.7.3.1 preceding.

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# 11.7 INETBA Service Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

# 11.7.4 Customer Loyalty Plan III

INETBA Service Customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 13th invoice as provided following.

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<b>11.7.4.1</b> For each	h twelve invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive twelve-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.  (C)  (T)
11.7.4.2	Eligibility. To be eligible for the 13th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
	have initiated service under the INETBA Service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA Service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive twelve-month period of service; have received twelve consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twelve-month period; have selected the 13th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's twelfth invoice; and pay all charges rendered in Customer's twelfth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 11.7.4.1, preceding.

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# 11.7 INETBA Service Customer Loyalty Plans (Cont'd)

- **11.7.5 Loyalty Awards**. Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or a "save" qualify to receive additional Loyalty Awards.
  - 11.7.5.1"Welcome Back Invoice" Award. Each Customer who qualifies as either a "winback" or "save" shall receive its first invoice free, a "Welcome Back Invoice," that is, a credit equal to the charges for the first period of service (may be less than 30 days). The credit equal to the charges in the Welcome Back Invoice will appear in the invoice for the fourth billing cycle following the service period to which the Welcome Back Invoice applies.
  - **11.7.5.2Free Minutes Bonus Incentive.** Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or "save" shall be awarded 500 free minutes of either domestic United States interstate calling or intrastate calling, based on the lower of the two rates.

### 11.7.6 Non-Voice Communications

For any Customer who qualifies as a "save" or "winback" Customer, Company shall waive non-transport/non-usage (equivalent call units) for lines used for non-voice communications, i.e., facsimile and/or modem lines.

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# 11.8 INETBA Advantage Card Service (ACS)

Advantage Card Service (ACS) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 11.8.1 following. Each ACS Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling equal to 30% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS Customer's non-calling card calling beginning with Customer's 2nd invoice following Customer commencement of service as an ACS Customer ("Total Calling Advantage").

### 11.8.1 Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service (ACS) becomes available once a Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "on-line" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

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# SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

# 11.8 INETBA Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

## 11.8.2 Limitations and Disclaimers

- **A.** ACS is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS offerings as tariffed with the FCC.
- **B.** The ACS Total Calling Advantage will be reflected in Customer's second invoice following commencement of ACS service.
- **C.** ACS Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering, or any "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- **D.** Each month's ACS Total Calling Advantage is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).

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# 11.8 INETBA Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

# 11.8.2 Limitations and Disclaimers (Cont'd)

- E. Subject to and in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.4 preceding and the eligibility requirements of 11.8.1 preceding, ACS service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by 11.8.1 preceding.
- **F.** An ACS Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service forfeits all unused credits.

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### 11.8 INETBA Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

#### 11.8.3 Reinstatement

An ACS Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage may reinstate its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

### 11.8.4 Rates

The rates in Section 11.5 preceding apply to the INETBA ACS service.

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## SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")

#### 11.9.1 General Terms and Conditions

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Advantage Plan" or "CAP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain Company's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential Customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential Customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a Customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a Customer's right to obtain a CAP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Advantage Plan offerings are available for eligible Customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of Company originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever Company determines that but for the availability of these rates, Company will not retain an existing Customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior Customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"). The following terms and conditions must exist for any CAP to be valid.

- A. CAPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- B. A Customer or potential Customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CAP. To qualify as a similarly situated Customer for purposes of this Section, the Customer seeking the CAP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CAP as tariffed.

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#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

#### 11.9.1 General Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

- C. An existing Customer or potential Customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CAP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CAP tailored to that Customer's circumstances.
- D. CAPs are available for all published rates.
- E. Whenever a Customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by Company, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this Section 11.
- F. All of the conditions set forth above must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Advantage Plans. Company shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to Customer by a carrier competing with Company. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments, may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Advantage Plans.
- G. To receive the Invoice Free CAPs pursuant to 11.9.2 through and including 11.9.6 following, a Customer must call Customer Care before the issuance date of each credit bearing invoice to verify Customer eligibility except as otherwise provided following.

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### SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES **DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)**

#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

#### 11.9.2 Customer 6th and 12th Invoice Advantage Plan

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Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th and 12th invoices as provided following.

For each five and immediately succeeding six additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 11 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice and for the consecutive eleven-month period preceding Customer's 12th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied. Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th and 12th invoice free bonuses, each В. Customer must: have initiated service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (5 and 11 months) of service; have received first five, then six additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding eleven-month period; have selected the 6th and 12th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eleventh invoice; pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related eleventh invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under

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### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 11.9.3 Customer 6th, 10th, and 14th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 10th, and 14th invoices as provided following.

For each five and immediately succeeding four and next immediately succeeding

	four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 13 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice, for the consecutive nine-month period preceding Customer's 10th invoice, and for the consecutive thirteen month period preceding Customer's 14th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
В.	Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must:
	□ have initiated service;
	have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service;
	have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (5, 9, and 13 months) of service;
	have received first five, nine, and then thirteen additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding thirteen-month period;
	have selected the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and
	pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related ninth and thirteenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as

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### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 11.9.4 Customer "Thanks for Taking the Time" Advantage Plans

## 11.9.4.1"Thanks for Taking the Time" - 1 ("TTT-1") Advantage Plan

On and after August 14, 2000, any end user contacted by a sales/marketing representative of Company and which has taken the time to listen to the services and benefits offered by Company is entitled to receive a debit card under Company's "Thanks for Taking the Time" ("TTT-1") service promotion.

A. Card Denominations. Under this promotion, Company's debit card is available in \$25, \$50, and \$150 denominations based on the end user's monthly volume of usage.

<b>Denomination</b>	Monthly Usage Volume
\$25.00	0 - \$49.99
\$50.00	\$50.00 - \$149.99
\$150.00	\$150.00 - \$249.99

**B.** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's TTT-1 service are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments based on a minimum call unit of 60 seconds; and rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call	Incremental Call
Unit Value	Unit Value
@ 60 seconds	@ 60 seconds
or Fraction	or Fraction
\$0.226	\$0.226

C. Availability. Company's TTT-1 service promotion is available on and after August 14, 2000 until February 14, 2001 ("sunset date") unless sooner terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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- 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)
  - 11.9.4 Customer "Thanks for Taking the Time" Advantage Plans

### 11.9.4.1"Thanks for Taking the Time" - 1 ("TTT-1") Advantage Plan

**D.** Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this promotion at any time prior to its sunset date; provided that any Customer which has received a TTT-1 Card prior to the sunset date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of the TTT-1 Card promotion shall receive service until its TTT-1 Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or specified usage deadline. Each TTT-1 Card expires one (1) year from date of activation.

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#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

#### 11.9.4 Customer "Thanks for Taking the Time" Advantage Plans

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#### 11.9.4.2"Thanks for Taking the Time" -2 ("TTT-2") Advantage Plan

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On and after August 14, 2000, any end user contacted by a sales/marketing representative of Company and which has taken the time to listen to the services and benefits offered by Company is entitled to receive a debit card under Company's "Thanks for Taking the Time" service promotion.

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**A.** Card Denominations. Under this promotion, a Company debit card is available in a single \$250 denomination based on the end user's monthly volume of usage.

<u>Denomination</u> <u>Monthly Usage Volume</u> \$250.00 \$250.00+

**B.** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's TTT service are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments based on a minimum call unit of 60 seconds; and rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call Unit Value

<u>@ 60 seconds or Fraction</u>

\$0.226

Incremental Call Unit Value

<u>@ 60 seconds or Fraction</u>

\$0.226

C. Availability. Company's TTT service promotion is available on and after August 14, 2000, until February 14, 2001 ("sunset date") unless sooner terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 11.9.4 Customer "Thanks for Taking the Time" Advantage Plans

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### 11.9.4.2"Thanks for Taking the Time" -2 ("TTT-2") Advantage Plan

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- D. Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this promotion at any time prior to its sunset date; provided that any Customer which has received a TTT Card prior to the sunset date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of the TTT Card promotion shall receive service until its TTT Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or specified usage deadline. Each TTT Card expires one (1) year from date of activation.
- E. Second Card Availability. During the term of this promotional offering, a second TTT Card in the same denomination listed in Section 11.9.4.1 preceding will be made available to customers requesting and receiving Company's Website Design and Hosting Services as set forth in 11.1 preceding.

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## SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

#### 11.9.5 Customer S&W Prepaid Advantage Plan

On and after August 14, 2000, any customer which qualifies as a "save" or "winback" customer will upon so qualifying receive a Company prepaid (debit) card or cards equal to the "saved" or "wonback" Customer's immediately preceding full month's (30 days) volume of non-calling card charges multiplied by 2.5. The table following demonstrates how the denomination of an S&W card is determined on a per-Customer basis.

	Table	
Customer's Prior Month's	2.5 Factor	S&W Calling Card

Non-Calling Card Charge	S*	Denomination(s)	
\$ 50.00 x	2.5	\$125.00	
75.00	x 2.5	187.50	
90.00	x 2.5	225.00	(C)
100.00 x	2.5	250.00	
150.00 x	2.5	250.00 + 125.00	
250.00 x	2.5	250.00 + 250.00 + 125.00	

<sup>\*</sup> Sample levels only. Company reserves the right to round down the actual capacity of any S&W Card.

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#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 11.9.5 Customer S&W Prepaid Advantage Plan (Cont'd)

**11.9.5.1**Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's S&W Card are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments with a minimum call unit of 60 seconds; and are rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call UnitIncremental Call Unit@ 60 seconds or Fraction@ 60 seconds or Fraction\$0.226\$0.226

**11.9.5.2** Availability. Company's S&W Card service promotion is available on and after August 14, 2000, until February 14, 2001 ("sunset date") unless sooner terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

#### 11.9.5 Customer S&W Prepaid Advantage Plan (Cont'd)

**11.9.5.3** Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this plan at any time prior to its sunset date; provided that any Customer which has received an S&W Card prior to the sunset date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of S&W Card plan shall receive service until its S&W Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or by the specified usage deadline. Each S&W Card expires ninety (90) days from date of activation (the specified usage deadline).

**11.9.5.4** Second S&W Card Availability. An additional S&W Card(s) in the qualifying denomination of the Customer as listed in Section 11.9.5.1 preceding will be made available to any such customer which requests and receives Company's Website Design and Hosting Services as set forth in 11.1 preceding.

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#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

#### 11.9.6 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan

Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoices as provided following.

**11.9.6.1** For each five, and the immediately succeeding three, and next immediately succeeding four, and next immediately succeeding six, and next immediately succeeding three, and next immediately succeeding four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 25 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice; for the consecutive eight-month period preceding Customer's 9th invoice; for the consecutive twelvemonth period preceding Customer's 13th invoice; for the consecutive eighteen-month period preceding Customer's 19th invoice; for the consecutive twenty-one-month period preceding Customer's 22nd invoice and for the consecutive twenty-five month period preceding Customer's 26th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.

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  - 11.9.6 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan

11.9.6.2	invoice free bonuses, each Customer must:	
	□ have initiated service;	
	have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service;	
	have no 90-day or older outstanding unpaid balance, and no 60-day or older outstanding unpaid balance equal to or greater than \$50.00;	
	have received first five, eight, twelve, eighteen, twenty-one, and then twenty-five additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twenty-five month period;	b
	have selected the 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoice fre bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and	ee
	pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related eighth, twelfth, eighteenth, twenty-first, and twenty-fifth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 11.9.6.1, preceding.	

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11.9.6 Customer 6th, 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th Invoice Advantage Plan

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contact Company's Customer Care Department to confirm eligibility and to activate the Promotion. A Customer must contact Customer Care prior to the last day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice in order to receive all six invoice credits. A Customer who meets and continues to meet all other Eligibility requirements except that it does not contact Customer Care to activate the promotion until a date subsequent to the last day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice, will receive all credits on specified invoices (9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th) generated by Company after the required contact with Customer Care is made, but will not retroactively receive a credit for any specified invoice already generated by Company.

Example: A Customer that meets all other eligibility requirements, except that it does not contact Customer Care prior to the last day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice to activate the promotion, calls Customer Care to activate the promotion two weeks later. The Customer will receive credits calculated according to Section 11.9.6.1 preceding for the 9th, 13th, 19th, 22nd, and 26th invoices; the Customer will not retroactively receive the 6th invoice credit to which it would otherwise have been entitled.

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#### 11.9 Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")(Cont'd)

### 11.9.7 Customer "Welcome Aboard" Advantage Plan

For new Customers who meet the eligibility requirements of Section 11.9.1 preceding, the Company will waive the ECU rate component during Business Day hours only, and for 1+ and toll free access calls only, for the first and second invoices within the regular billing cycle. Company's standard tariff rate methodology applies from and after the third invoice.

#### 11.9.8 Save/Winback Off-Peak/Non-Business Day Adjustments.

Customers whose rates are adjusted pursuant to 11.4.9 preceding and who then qualify as a "save" or "winback" customer are eligible to be rerated to the off-peak rate prior to any applicable adjustment made pursuant to 11.4.9.

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- **11.10 Service Term Invoice Free Credit**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 11.10.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit.
  - 11.10.1 Credit. For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive five months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for five months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **11.10.2 Eligibility.** To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit, each customer must:
    - **A.** Have initiated service under an INETBA Service Plan:
    - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA Service Plan;
    - C. Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness:
    - **D.** Have received five months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
    - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit at the initiation of service or at any time during the first five service months but not later than the first day of service in the sixth month; and,
    - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 11.10.1, preceding.

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## SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

- **11.11 Service Term Invoice Free Credit II**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 11.11.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II.
  - 11.11.1 Credit. For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive three months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for three months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - 11.11.2 Eligibility. To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II, each customer must:
    - **A.** Have initiated service under an INETBA Service Plan;
    - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA Service Plan;
    - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
    - **D.** Have received three months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
    - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit II at the initiation of service or at any time during the first three service months but not later than the first day of service in the fourth month; and,
    - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 11.11.1, preceding.

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### 11.12 Cross Over Special Service Offers

### 11.12.1 Cross Over Credit (COC)

A. To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Credit" or "COC" equal to 5% of the customer's usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

#### B. Limitations and Disclaimers

The COC credit is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC and the respective states.
If earned, as specified in Section 11.12.1.A preceding, the COC will be reflected in that customer's first invoice which follows customer's completion of 60 days of uninterrupted service following its commencement of service.
This credit is not available with Company's offering set forth in Section 11.12.2 following.
The COC is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).
A customer whose service is terminated for cause or who terminates Company's service in its discretion prior to the completion of its minimum service term forfeits its COC credit.

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## SECTION 11 - THE INTERNET BUSINESS ASSOCIATION SERVICES DESCRIPTION AND RATES (Cont'd)

## 11.12 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)

### 11.12.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC)

**A.** To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Century Card" or "COCC," a prepaid calling card worth \$100 for each \$1000 of usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

#### B. Limitations and Disclaimers

This offer is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC and the respective states.
The COCC card will be issued following Customer's commencement of service
This offer is not available with Company's 5% credit offer set forth in Section 11.12.1 preceding.
The COCC card expires within 6 months of its issuance date ("use period") irrespective of the balance of the COCC card's face value when issued, if any, remaining at the date of expiration.
Customer must remain in service during the period of time that any unused balance exists on the COCC card; must have no delinquencies in payments on account for its non-calling card and non-COCC card services; and must have no bill cycle interruptions.

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#### 11.12 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)

### 11.12.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC) (Cont'd)

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□ To qualify for each \$100 of face value on COCC, the customer's previous usage will be segmented into \$100 usage "packets" as follows:

Previous Usage	\$100 Packets
\$100.00	1
\$200.00	2
\$300.00	3
\$395.00	4
\$490.00	5
\$585.00	6
\$680.00	7
\$775.00	8
\$870.00	9
\$965.00 +	10

- COCC calls must originate and terminate from locations in the state from areas served with equal access. COCC calls are rated at \$0.75 per minute of use and are distance, day-of-week, and time-of-day insensitive. Non-transport charges do not apply.
- If at any time prior to the completion of its use period, any of customer's services is terminated for cause, for any service customer in its discretion terminates, or should customer fail at any time to comply with the conditions of this Section, at the time of termination or failure of compliance, the unused value of the COCC card shall be cancelled immediately by Company.

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#### **SECTION 12 - INETBA "E-Service"**

## 12.1 INETBA "E-Service"

INETBA E-Service offers Company's intrastate interexchange services in exclusive combination with its Internet Web page design and hosting services and its Internet Access - DSL services where facilities are available. Any business which orders Company's Internet Web page design and hosting services and who meets all other eligibility requirements set forth in this tariff for INETBA E-Service is eligible for INETBA E-Service. INETBA E-Service is available for calls that originate and terminate within this state, and includes 1+ Outbound, Toll Free Access (800/888/877), and Calling Card calling.

For informational purposes, the terms and conditions of Company's Internet Services most significantly related to Company's tariffed interexchange telecommunications services, namely, Company's Web page design, Web page hosting and domain name registration services (collectively, Company's "Internet Services") are set forth following.

- A. Internet Services are available to customers of Company's interexchange telecommunications services as tariffed herein and to other end users.
- B. A non-recurring set up charge applies which may be waived pursuant to promotional offers provided by the Company, which if such promotions involve tariffed services will be tariffed herein prior to their effectiveness.

Internet Service Set-Up Charge \$499.00

C. A recurring charge for Internet Web page hosting services applies as follows.

Standard Hosting Charge \$69.95/month
Discounted Hosting Charge \$39.95/month\*

- \* Customer required to take Company's tariffed interexchange telecommunications services.
- D. Subject to E following, no charge is made for customers of Company's Internet Services for registering a customer's domain name.

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### 12.1 INETBA "E-Service" (Cont'd)

E. Termination charges apply to any combined tariffed and Internet Services customer canceling its tariffed telecommunications services during the first 12 months following its service commencement date.

## **Termination Charges**

Web Site Set Up \$249.00 Domain Name Registration \$70.00

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#### **SECTION 12 - INETBA "E-Service" (Cont'd)**

### 12.1 INETBA "E-Service" (Cont'd)

- **12.1.1** All INETBA E-Service offerings (1+, toll free access and calling card) are billed in standard call duration increments featuring a Minimum Call Unit of 18 seconds and Incremental Call Units of 6 seconds which are rounded to the next highest full billing increment of 18 or 6 seconds as applicable.
- 12.1.2 To be eligible for INETBA E-Service, a customer must not have had its account with any carrier canceled for nonpayment of charges, must not have a history of late payment of charges at any time during the 12-month period preceding customer's service commencement date with Company, and must have originated and terminated usage within this state within the 30-day period preceding customer's service commencement date with Company.

#### 12.1.3 INETBA E-Service Terms and Conditions

Each term and condition of this Section 12 and Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4, including specific eligibility provisions, apply and serve to qualify the availability and continuation of a customer's usage rate guarantee as set forth herein.

#### 12.1.4 Companion Federal Rate Guarantee

A. For a customer who maintains eligibility for and receives service under the INETBA E-Service, the rates are guaranteed for the same number of invoices, i.e., 12 invoices for customers whose peak/business day interstate usage rates are \$0.069 to \$0.149 (6 invoices for any customer whose peak/business day interstate usage rate is \$0.059), as the number of invoices guaranteed under Company's INETBA E-Service for interstate calls as provided in Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4. Calling card services are not eligible for this rate guarantee. To qualify, the customer must contact the Company and have verified that the customer received a bona fide comparable competitive offer.

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#### 12.2 **INETBA E-Service Rates**

Subject to 12.2.16, the following INETBA E-Service Plans, the Basic Q, Classic Q, Classic 2, Classic 1, Universal, Prime 1, Prime 2, Super and Super U Rate Plans are offered. The INETBA E-Service Plan Rates are as follows:

#### 12.2.1 Basic Q Rate Plan

Basic Q rates are provided to customers with no minimum monthly intrastate usage requirement at the following rates:

	Mınımum Call Unıt	Incremental Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0678	\$0.0226
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0678	\$0.0226

### 12.2.2 Classic Q Rate Plan

Except as provided in 12.2.10.A following, Classic Q rates are provided customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$5.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	
or Fraction - 18 Secs.	or Fraction - 6 Secs.	(T)
\$0.0621	\$0.0207	

#### 12.2.3 Classic 2 Rate Plan

Except as provided in 12.2.10.B following, Classic 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$10.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction - 18 Secs.	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction - 6 Secs.
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0567	\$0.0189
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0567	\$0.0189

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#### 12.2. INETBA E-Service Rates (Cont'd)

#### 12.2.4 Classic 1 Rate Plan

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Except as provided in section 12.2.10.B following, Classic 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$15.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction - 18 Secs. or Fraction - 6 Secs.

 Peak/Business Day
 \$0.0537
 \$0.0179

 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day
 \$0.0537
 \$0.0179

#### 12.2.5 Universal Rate Plan

Except as provided in section 12.2.10.B following, Universal rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$20.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction - 18 Secs. or Fraction - 6 Secs.

 Peak/Business Day
 \$0.0507
 \$0.0169

 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day
 \$0.0507
 \$0.0169

#### 12.2.6 Prime 2 Rate Plan

Except as provided in section 12.2.10.B following, Prime 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

Peak/Business Day or Fraction - 18 Secs. or Fraction - 6 Secs. \$0.0387 \$0.0129 (T)

 Peak/Business Day
 \$0.0387
 \$0.0129

 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day
 \$0.0387
 \$0.0129

#### 12.2.7 Prime 1 Rate Plan

Except as provided in section 12.2.10.B following, Prime 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	
	or Fraction - 18 Secs.	or Fraction - 6 Secs.	(T)
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 Peak/Business Day
 \$0.0357
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 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day
 \$0.0357
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#### 12.2. INETBA E-Service Rates (Cont'd)

### 12.2.8 Super 1 Rate Plan

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Except as provided in section 12.2.10.B following, Super 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$35.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction - 18 Secs. or Fraction - 6 Secs.

 Peak/Business Day
 \$0.0327
 \$0.0109

 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day
 \$0.0327
 \$0.0109

## 12.2.9 Super 2 Rate Plan

Except as provided in section 12.2.10.B following, Super 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly interstate usage is over \$40.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction - 18 Secs. or Fraction - 6 Secs.

 Peak/Business Day
 \$0.0297
 \$0.0099

 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day
 \$0.0297
 \$0.0099

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### **SECTION 12 - INETBA "E-Service" (Cont'd)**

#### 12.2. **INETBA E-Service Rates (Cont'd)**

### 12.2.10 Rate Plan Adjustments for Non-Calling Plan Customers

- Subject to 12.4.14 following, the off-peak/non-business rates in 12.2.2 preceding A. for Classic Q customers, whose service is not part of an unexpired term, rate guarantee or similar calling plan, not subject to treatment procedures, and whose rates have not been changed in any of the four invoices preceding October 19. 2000, shall be rated at the Basic Q rates as set forth in 12.2.1 preceding.
- Subject to 12.4.14 following, the off-peak/non-business rates in Section 12.2.3 B. through and including Section 12.2.9 preceding for customers, whose service is not part of an unexpired term, rate guarantee or similar calling plan, not subject to treatment procedures, and whose rates have not been changed in any of the four invoices preceding October 19, 2000, shall be rated at the Classic Q rates as set forth in 12.2.2 preceding.

#### 12.2.11 Rate Plan Adjustment for Customers Billing \$50.00 or Less

Any Rate Category I-VII customer (as defined in Table 1 of Section 12.3) in service A. (N/I)before August 30, 2001, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee and which are not subject to treatment procedures, and who billed \$50.00 or less in intrastate calling charges on their November invoice, shall have their peak/business day rates adjusted upward by two Rate Categories effective December 1, 2001.

B. Any Rate Category VIII customer (as defined in Table 1 of Section 12.3) in service before August 30, 2001, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or rate guarantee and which are not subject to treatment procedures, and who billed \$50.00 or less in intrastate calling charges on their November invoice, shall have their peak/business day rates adjusted to Rate Category IX effective December 1, 2001.

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#### 12.2. INETBA E-Service Rates (Cont'd)

#### 12.2.12 Limited-Class Switched Rates

**12.2.12.1 Limited-Class "X" Rates.** The following rates are available to new customers and "save" or "winback" customers. Calls made under these rate plans shall not be subject to the addition of Equivalent Call Unit's (ECU's) as described in the sections preceding.

#### A. X-1 Rate Plan

X-1 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$100.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit

or Fraction

\$0.0327

\$0.0327

\$0.0109

\$0.0109

Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/Non-Business Day

#### B. X-2 Rate Plan

X-2 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$110.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit or Fraction or Fraction

 Peak/Business Day
 \$0.0297
 \$0.0099

 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day
 \$0.0297
 \$0.0099

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## 12.2 INETBA E-Service Rates (Cont'd)

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### 12.2.16 Rates for Calls Terminated to a Mobile Phone or Pager

All calls terminated to a mobile phone or pager shall be charged the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit
or Fraction - 18 Secs.
\$0.0627

Incremental Call Unit
or Fraction - 6 Secs.
\$0.0209

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## 12.2 INETBA E-Service Rates (Cont'd)

### 12.2.17 INETBA E-Service Rates for Calling Cards

Rates for calling card calls are time of day sensitive.

	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction - 18 Secs.	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction - 6 Secs.
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0609	\$0.0203
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0678	\$0.0226

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#### 12.3 INETBA E-Service - Graduated Rate Categories

Carrier offers services under this Section based on the Rate Plans and categories as specified following. Rates are graduated as shown in Table 1 following, higher to lower, that is, Rate Category I for the Super 2 Rate Plan contains Carrier's lowest offered rates and Rate Category IX for the Basic Q Rate Plan contains Carrier's top rates.

Table 1

Rate Plan	Rate Category
Basic Q	IX
Classic Q	VIII
Classic 2	VII
Classic 1	VI
Universal	V
Prime 2	IV
Prime 1	III
Super 1	II
Super 2	I

12.3.1 Any Rate Category I-VII customers in service on or before June 30, 2003, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted upward by two Rate Categories, effective for all calls on or after October 1, 2003, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after November 1, 2003.

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12.3.2 Any Rate Category VIII customers in service on or before June 30, 2003, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted to Rate Category IX, effective for all calls on or after October 1, 2003, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after November 1, 2003.

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## 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")

#### 12.4.1 General Terms and Conditions

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Advantage Plan" or "CAP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain Company's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential Customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential Customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a Customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a Customer's right to obtain a CAP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Advantage Plan offerings are available for eligible Customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of Company originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever Company determines that but for the availability of these rates, Company will not retain an existing Customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior Customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"). The following terms and conditions must exist for any CAP to be valid.

- A. CAPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- B. A Customer or potential Customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CAP. To qualify as a similarly situated Customer for purposes of this Section, the Customer seeking the CAP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CAP as tariffed.

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## 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

#### 12.4.1 General Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

- C. An existing Customer or potential Customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CAP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CAP tailored to that Customer's circumstances.
- D. CAPs are available for all published rates.
- E. Whenever a Customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by Company, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this Section 12.
- F. All of the conditions set forth above must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Advantage Plans. Company shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to Customer by a carrier competing with Company. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments, may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Advantage Plans.
- G. To receive the Invoice Free CAPs pursuant to 12.4.2 through and including 12.4.7 following, a Customer must call Customer Care before the issuance date of each credit bearing invoice to verify Customer eligibility.

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## 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

## 12.4.2 Customer Advantage Plan I

INETBA E-Service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 13th invoice as provided following.

<b>12.4.2.1</b> For eac	ach twelve invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive 12-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.		
<b>12.4.2.2</b> Eligibil	ity. To	be eligible for the 13th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:	
		have initiated service under INETBA E-Service;	
		have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service;	
		have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive 12-month period of service;	
		have received twelve consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding 12-month period;	
		have selected the 13th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's 12th invoice; and	
		pay all charges rendered in Customer's 12th invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 12.4.2.1	

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### 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

## 12.4.3 Customer Advantage Plan II

INETBA E-Service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 9th invoice as provided following.

12.4.3.1For each eight invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be

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inv	voice in which the credit is applied.
<b>12.4.3.2</b> Eligibility.	To be eligible for the 9th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:
	have initiated service under the INETBA E-Service;
	have current usage which exceeds the established minimum
	monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service;
	have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding
	consecutive eight-month period of service;
	have received eight consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over
	the preceding eight-month period;
	have selected the 9th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the
	first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eighth
	invoice; and
	pay all charges rendered in Customer's eighth invoice in excess
	of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under
	12.4.3.1 preceding.

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# 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

# 12.4.4 Customer Advantage Plan III

INETBA E-Service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 9th and 13th invoices as provided following.

<b>12.4.4.1</b> For each	for each eight and immediately succeeding four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 12 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the consecutive eight month period preceding Customer's 9th invoice and for the consecutive twelve-month period preceding Customer's 13th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.		
12.4.4.2	Eligibility. To be eligible for the 9th and 13th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must:		
	<ul> <li>□ have initiated service under the INETBA E-Service;</li> <li>□ have current usage which exceeds the established minimum</li> </ul>		
	monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding		
	consecutive month qualifying periods (8 and 12 months) of service;		
	have received first eight, then four additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twelve-month period;		
	have selected the 9th and 13th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eighth invoice; and		
	pay all charges rendered in Customer's eighth and related twelfth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 12.4.4.1, preceding.		

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# 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

# 12.4.5 Customer Advantage Plan IV

INETBA E-Service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 9th and 18th invoices as provided following.

consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 17 consecutive invoices), a

12.4.5.1For each eight and immediately succeeding nine additional invoices of

12.4.5.2	credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive eight month period preceding Customer's 9th invoice and for the consecutive seventeen-month period preceding Customer's 18th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.  Eligibility. To be eligible for the 9th and 18th invoice free bonuses, each
	Customer must:
	<ul> <li>□ have initiated service under the INETBA E-Service;</li> <li>□ have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service;</li> </ul>
	have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (8 and 17 months) of service;
	have received first eight, then nine additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding seventeen-month period;
	have selected the 9th and 18th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eighth invoice; and
	pay all charges rendered in Customer's eighth and related seventeenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 12.4.5.1, preceding.

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# 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

# 12.4.6 Customer Advantage Plan V

INETBA E-Service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th and 12th invoices as provided following.

<b>12.4.6.1</b> For each	a five and immediately succeeding six additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 11 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice and for the consecutive eleven-month period preceding Customer's 12th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.		
12.4.6.2	Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th and 12th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must:		
	<ul> <li>□ have initiated service under the INETBA E-Service;</li> <li>□ have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service;</li> </ul>		
	have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (5 and 11 months) of service;		
	have received first five, then six additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding eleven-month period;		
	have selected the 6th and 12th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eleventh invoice; and		
	pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related eleventh invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 12.4.6.1, preceding.		

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### 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

#### 12.4.7 Customer Advantage Plan VI

INETBA E-Service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 10th, and 14th invoices as provided following.

12.4.7.1For each five and immediately succeeding four and next immediately succeeding four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 13 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice, for the consecutive nine-month period preceding Customer's 10th invoice, and for the consecutive thirteen month period preceding Customer's 14th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied. 12.4.7.2 Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must: have initiated service under the INETBA E-Service: have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service;

have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (5, 9 and 13 months) of service; have received first five, nine, and then thirteen additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding thirteen-month period; have selected the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and pay all charges rendered in Customer's fifth and related ninth and thirteenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 12.4.7.1, preceding.

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#### 12.4.8 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plan VII - Advantage Card Service (ACS)

Advantage Card Service (ACS) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 12.4.8.1 following. Each ACS Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling equal to 30% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS Customer's non-calling card calling beginning with Customer's 2nd invoice following Customer commencement of service as an ACS Customer ("Total Calling Advantage").

#### **12.4.8.1 Eligibility**

Company's Advantage Card Service (ACS) becomes available once a Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "on-line" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

#### 12.4.8.2Limitations and Disclaimers

- A. ACS is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS offerings as tariffed with the FCC.
- B. The ACS Total Calling Advantage will be reflected in Customer's second invoice following commencement of ACS service.
- C. ACS Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering, or any "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.

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# 12.4.8 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plan VII - Advantage Card Service (ACS)(Cont'd)

# 12.4.8.2Limitations and Disclaimers (Cont'd)

- D. Each month's ACS Total Calling Advantage is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).
- E. Subject to and in accordance with the eligibility requirements of 12.4.8.1 preceding, ACS service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by 12.4.8.1 preceding.
- F. An ACS Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service forfeits all unused credits.

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# 12.4.8 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plan VII - Advantage Card Service (ACS)(Cont'd)

#### 12.4.8.3Reinstatement

An ACS Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage may reinstate its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

#### 12.4.8.4Rates

The rates in Section 12.2.17 preceding apply to the INETBA E-Service ACS service.

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#### 12.4.9 Customer Advantage Plan VIII - Free Minutes

Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or "save" Shall be awarded 500 free minutes of either domestic United States interstate calling or intrastate calling, based on the lower of the two rates.

#### 12.4.10 Customer Advantage Plan IX - Customer Referral Credit Program ("CRCP")

Company offers each existing Customer a single credit for each validated new customer referred to the Company by the existing Customer. The credit is applied to the existing Customer's charges incurred for services rendered under this tariff.

#### 12.4.10.1

Eligibility. To qualify for this credit, an existing customer must supply Carrier with a new customer's proprietary network information ("CPNI") and either an (1) order for service sufficient to qualify as a valid written Letter of Agency ("LOA"); or (2) the name of the new customer's authorized representative to be contacted by Company's sales and marketing personnel within 90 days of Company's receipt of the designation of the authorized representative by the existing Customer. A new customer or its designated authorized representative must request service commencement within 30 days of the date of the written LOA or 30 days of the date Company's sales and marketing personnel contact with the new customer or its authorized representative.



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# 12.4.10 Customer Advantage Plan IX - Customer Referral Credit Program ("CRCP") (Cont'd)

12.4.10.2 Conditions. The CRCP shall vest only after the new customer referred by the existing Customer completes four consecutive months of service following the new customer's service commencement date without any late payment or other

delinquency. Subject to Company's validation of the referred customer's compliance with the requirements of this Section 12.4.10, the CRCP shall appear on the existing Customer's 4th invoice following the service commencement date for the new

customer.

12.4.10.3 Credit. Subject to Sections 12.4.10.1 and 12.4.10.2, preceding, the referring existing Customer shall receive a credit equal to ten percent (10%) of the new referred customer's service charges appearing on the final invoice rendered by the new referred customer's previous primary interexchange carrier, once validated by Company, and exclusive of any of the previous carrier's monthly fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, or other

such charges. The CRCP may not exceed \$500.00 per new referred customer.

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#### 12.4.11 Customer Advantage Plan X - "Thanks for Taking the Time" Promotion - 1

On and after March 3, 2000, any end user contacted by a sales/marketing representative of Company and which has taken the time to listen to the services and benefits offered by Company is entitled to receive a debit card under Company's "Thanks for Taking the Time" ("TTT-1") service promotion.

**12.4.11.1** Card Denominations. Under this promotion, Company's debit card is available in \$25, \$50, and \$150 denominations based on the end user's monthly volume of usage.

<u>Denomination</u>	Monthly Usage Volume
\$25.00	0 - \$49.99
\$50.00	\$50.00 - \$149.99
\$150.00	\$150.00 - \$249.99

**12.4.11.2** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's TTT-1 service are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments based on a minimum call unit of 60 seconds; and rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call	Incremental Call
Unit Value	Unit Value
@ 60 seconds	@ 60 seconds
or Fraction	or Fraction
\$0.226	\$0.226

**12.4.11.3** Availability. Company's TTT-1 service promotion is available on and after June 19, 2000 until December 20, 2000 ("sunset date") unless sooner terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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# 12.4.11 Customer Advantage Plan X - "Thanks for Taking the Time" Promotion - 1 (Cont'd)

**12.4.11.4** Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this promotion at any time prior to its sunset date; provided that any Customer which has received a TTT-1 Card prior to the sunset date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of the TTT-1 Card promotion shall receive service until its TTT-1 Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or specified usage deadline. Each TTT-1 Card expires one (1) year from date of activation.

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### 12.4.12 Customer Advantage Plan XI - "Thanks for Taking the Time" Promotion - 2 ("TTT-2")

On and after March 3, 2000, any end user contacted by a sales/marketing representative of Company and which has taken the time to listen to the services and benefits offered by Company is entitled to receive a debit card under Company's "Thanks for Taking the Time" ("TTT-2") service promotion.

**12.4.12.1** Card Denominations. Under this promotion, a Company debit card is available in a single \$250 denomination based on the end user's monthly volume of usage.

<u>Denomination</u> <u>Monthly Usage Volume</u>

\$250.00 \$250.00+

**12.4.12.2** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's TTT-2 service are time

Minimum Call Unit ValueIncremental Call Unit Value@ 60 seconds or Fraction@ 60 seconds or Fraction

\$0.226

**12.4.12.3** Availability. Company's TTT-2 service promotion is available on and after March 3, 2000 until October 3, 2000 ("sunset date") unless sooner terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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# 12.4.12 Customer Advantage Plan XI - "Thanks for Taking the Time" Promotion - 2 ("TTT-2") (Cont'd)

- **12.4.12.4** Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this promotion at any time prior to its sunset date; provided that any Customer which has received a TTT-2 Card prior to the sunset date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of the TTT-2 Card promotion shall receive service until its TTT Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or specified usage deadline. Each TTT-2 Card expires one (1) year from date of activation.
- **12.4.12.5** Second Card Availability. During the term of this promotional offering, a second TTT-2 Card in the same denomination listed in section 12.4.12.1 preceding will be made available to customers requesting and receiving Company's Website Design and Hosting Services as set forth in 12.1 preceding.

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### 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

# 12.4.13 Customer Advantage Plan XII - S&W Prepaid Plan

On and after August 14, 2000, any customer which qualifies as a "save" or "winback" customer will upon so qualifying receive a Company prepaid (debit) card or cards equal to the "saved" or "wonback" Customer's immediately preceding full month's (30 days) volume of non-calling card charges multiplied by 2.5. The table following demonstrates how the denomination of an S&W card is determined on a per-Customer basis.

Customer's Prior Month's 2.5 Factor Non-Calling Card Charges*		S&W Calling Card Denomination(s)	
\$ 50.00	x 2.5	\$125.00	
75.00	x 2.5	187.50	
90.00	x 2.5	225.00	
100.00	x 2.5	250.00	(C)
150.00	x 2.5	250.00 + 125.00	(0)
250.00	x 2.5	250.00 + 250.00 + 125.00	

<sup>\*</sup> Sample levels only. Company reserves the right to round down the actual capacity of any S&W Card.



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# 12.4.13 Customer Advantage Plan XII - S&W Prepaid Plan (Cont'd)

**12.4.13.1** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's S&W Card are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments with a minimum call unit of 60 seconds; and are rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit @ 60 seconds or Fraction @ 60 seconds or Fraction

\$0.226 \$0.226

**12.4.13.2** Availability. Company's S&W Card service promotion is available on and after June 19, 2000 until December 20, 2000 ("sunset date") unless sooner terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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#### 12.4.13 Customer Advantage Plan XII - S&W Prepaid Plan (Cont'd)

- 12.4.13.3 Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this plan at any time prior to its sunset date; provided that any Customer which has received an S&W Card prior to the sunset date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of S&W Card plan shall receive service until its S&W Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or by the specified usage deadline. Each S&W Card expires ninety (90) days from date of activation (the specified usage deadline).
- **12.4.13.4** Second S&W Card Availability. An additional S&W Card(s) in the qualifying denomination of the Customer as listed in Section 12.4.13.1 preceding will be made available to any such customer which requests and receives Company's Website Design and Hosting Services as set forth in 12.1 preceding.

### 12.4.14 Save/Winback Off-Peak/Non-Business Day Adjustments

Customers whose rates are adjusted pursuant to 12.2.10 preceding and who then qualify as a "save" or "winback" customer are eligible to be related to the rates prior to any applicable adjustment made pursuant to 12.2.10.

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# 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

- **12.4.25** Loyalty Awards. Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or a "save" qualify to receive additional Loyalty Awards.
  - 12.4.25.1 "Welcome Back Invoice" Award. Each Customer who qualifies as either a "winback" or "save" shall receive its first invoice free, a "Welcome Back Invoice," that is, a credit equal to the charges for the first period of service (may be less than 30 days). The credit equal to the charges in the Welcome Back Invoice will appear in the invoice for the fourth billing cycle following the service period to which the Welcome Back Invoice applies.
  - **12.4.25.2** Reserved for Future Use.

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# 12.4 INETBA E-Service Customer Advantage Plans (Cont'd)

- **12.4.26 Service Term Invoice Free Credit**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 12.4.26.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit.
  - **12.4.26.1 Credit.** For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive five months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for five months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **12.4.26.2 Eligibility.** To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit, each customer must:
    - **A.** Have initiated service under an INETBA E-Service Plan;
    - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service Service Plan;
    - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
    - **D.** Have received five months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
    - E. Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit at the initiation of service or at any time during the first five service months but not later than the first day of service in the sixth month; and,
    - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 12.4.26.1, preceding.

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- **12.4.27 Service Term Invoice Free Credit II**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 12.4.27.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II.
  - 12.4.27.1 Credit. For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive three months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for three months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
  - **12.4.27.2 Eligibility.** To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II, each customer must:
    - **A.** Have initiated service under an INETBA E-Service Plan;
    - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable INETBA E-Service Service Plan;
    - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness:
    - **D.** Have received three months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
    - E. Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit II at the initiation of service or at any time during the first three service months but not later than the first day of service in the fourth month; and,
    - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 12.4.27.1, preceding.

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### 12.5 Miscellaneous Charges

**12.5.1 Directory Assistance Charge:** \$1.25/per call

### 12.5.2 Toll Free Access Service (TFAS) Miscellaneous Charges

**12.5.2.1** Account Charge

Each Toll Free Access Service Customer shall pay the monthly account charge, following:

charge, following.

Account Charge: \$15.00 Per Account, Per Month

**12.5.2.2** Directory Listing Charge

Each Toll Free Access Service Customer having its toll free number listed in any national, regional, or local directory of toll free access numbers shall pay the monthly listing charge, following:

Directory Listing Charge: \$15.00 Per Number, Per Month

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### 12.5 INETBA E-Service - Miscellaneous Charges (Cont'd)

### 12.5.3 Remote Access Surcharge

A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones using a service access code.

Per Call \$0.30

#### 12.5.4 Waiver of Charges

A Miscellaneous charge or charges will be waived upon request whenever application of such charge or charges increases a customer's total charges for service above the charges such customer has been offered or has available for the same service from a competing carrier. Company may require documentation or other credible evidence useful in verifying the competitive offering and are subject to the net revenue test as defined by the FCC. Nothing herein shall be construed to require Company to waive any charge if in Company's sole and exclusive discretion, such waiver conflicts or may conflict with law or regulation. Waivers will be granted to customers similarly situated. A customer is similarly situated if the circumstances of that customer are substantially and materially like those which justified the waiver in the first instance.

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#### 12.6 Cross Over Special Service Offers

#### 12.6.1 Cross Over Credit (COC)

**A.** To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Credit" or "COC" equal to 5% of the customer's usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

# **B.** Limitations and Disclaimers

The COC credit is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC and the respective states.
If earned, as specified in Section 12.6.1.A preceding, the COC will be reflected in that customer's first invoice which follows customer's completion of 60 days of uninterrupted service following its commencement of service.
This credit is not available with Company's offering set forth in Section 12.6.2 following.
The COC is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).
A customer whose service is terminated for cause or who terminates Company's service in its discretion prior to the completion of its minimum service term forfeits its COC credit.

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#### SECTION 12 - INETBA "E-Service" (Cont'd)

### 12.6 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)

### 12.6.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC)

**A.** To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Century Card" or "COCC," a prepaid calling card worth \$100 for each \$1000 of usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

#### **B.** Limitations and Disclaimers

This offer is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC and the respective states.
The COCC card will be issued following Customer's commencement of service
This offer is not available with Company's 5% credit offer set forth in Section 12.6.1 preceding.
The COCC card expires within 6 months of its issuance date ("use period") irrespective of the balance of the COCC card's face value when issued, if any, remaining at the date of expiration.
Customer must remain in service during the period of time that any unused balance exists on the COCC card; must have no delinquencies in payments on account for its non-calling card and non-COCC card services; and must have no bill cycle interruptions.

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#### SECTION 12 - INETBA "E-Service" (Cont'd)

### 12.6 Cross Over Special Service Offers (Cont'd)

#### 12.6.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC) (Cont'd)

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To qualify for each \$100 of face value on COCC, the customer's previous usage will be segmented into \$100 usage "packets" as follows:

Previous Usage	\$100 Packets
\$100.00	1
\$200.00	2
\$300.00	3
\$395.00	4
\$490.00	5
\$585.00	6
\$680.00	7
\$775.00	8
\$870.00	9
\$965.00 +	10

COCC calls must originate and terminate from locations in the state from areas served with equal access. COCC calls are rated at \$0.75 per minute of use and are distance, day-of-week, and time-of-day insensitive. Non-transport charges do not apply.

If at any time prior to the completion of its use period, any of customer's services is terminated for cause, for any service customer in its discretion terminates, or should customer fail at any time to comply with the conditions of this Section, at the time of termination or failure of compliance, the unused value of the COCC card shall be cancelled immediately by Company.

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iVANT	TAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service	(T	
13.1.1	iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service offers Company's intrastate interexchange services in exclusive combination with its Internet Web page design and hosting services and its Internet Access - DSL services where facilities are available.	(T	

Any business which orders Company's Internet Web page design and hosting services and who meets all other eligibility requirements set forth in this tariff for iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service is eligible for iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS

service. iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service is available for calls that originate and terminate within this state, and includes 1+ Outbound, Toll Free Access

(800/888/877), and Calling Card calling.

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#### 13.1 iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service (Cont'd)

- 13.1.2 All iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service offerings (1+, toll free access and calling card) are billed in standard call duration increments featuring a Minimum Call Unit of 18 seconds and Incremental Call Units of 6 seconds which are rounded to the next highest full billing increment of 18 or 6 seconds as applicable, and Equivalent Call Units (ECUs) covering non-transport costs.
- 13.1.3 To be eligible for iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service, a customer must not have had its account with any carrier canceled for nonpayment of charges, must not have a history of late payment of charges at any time during the 12-month period preceding customer's service commencement date with Company, and must have originated and terminated usage within this state within the 30-day period preceding customer's service commencement date with Company.
- **13.1.4** iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Terms and Conditions

Each term and condition of this Section 13 and Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4, including specific eligibility provisions, apply and serve to qualify the availability and continuation of a customer's usage rate guarantee as set forth herein.

**13.1.5** Companion Federal Rate Guarantee

A. For a customer who maintains eligibility for and receives service under the iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service, the rates are guaranteed for the same number of invoices, i.e., 12 invoices for customers whose peak/business day interstate usage rates are \$0.069 to \$0.149 (6 invoices for any customer whose peak/business day interstate usage rate is \$0.059), as the number of invoices guaranteed under Company's iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service for interstate calls as provided in Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 4. Calling card services are not eligible for this rate guarantee. To qualify, the customer must contact the Company and have verified that the customer received a bona fide comparable competitive offer.

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#### 13.1 iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service (Cont'd)

#### 13.1.6 "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion

New customers who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below, may receive credits under the "One, Two, Three, Every Third Invoice Free" Promotion as follows:

- 1. A credit applied to customer's first, second and third invoices equal to 33% of customer's long distance call traffic charges, appearing on the same invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges, applied to the same invoice, and
- 2. A credit applied to every third invoice, starting with customer's sixth invoice (6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, etc.), equal to an average of the long distance call traffic charges appearing on the two invoices immediately preceding the credit invoice, excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments and similar charges.

This promotion is non-cumulative and can not be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated. Should the calculated credit to be applied to the sixth, or subsequent invoices exceed the actual long distance call traffic charges for that credit invoice, then the credit amount is limited to the actual amount of long distance call traffic charges appearing on that credit invoice.

**Eligibility**. To be eligible for this offering, customers must: have initiated new service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable service; have less than fifty dollars sixty days past due; have received consecutive and uninterrupted service; and have selected this offering prior to the charges rendered in customer's credit invoice(s). Additionally, Customers must contact the Company to confirm the promotion selection, after service initiation, to be eligible to receive the sixth and subsequent invoice credits, prior to the sixth and each subsequent invoice credit invoice.

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#### 13.2 **iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Rates**

Subject to 13.2.16, The following iVANTAGE Network Solutions Service Plans, the Basic Q, Classic Q, Classic 2, Classic 1, Universal, Prime 1, Prime 2, Super 1, Super 2, and Cairo Rate Plans are offered. The iVANTAGE Plan Rates are as follows:

### 13.2.1 Basic Q Rate Plan

The following Basic Q rates are provided to customers with no minimum monthly intrastate usage requirement at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction	Equivalent Call Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0678	\$0.0226	\$0.0189
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0678	\$0.0226	\$0.0189

#### 13.2.2 Classic Q Rate Plan

Classic Q rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$5.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit
or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction
\$0.0621	\$0.0207	\$0.0207

### 13.2.3 Classic 2 Rate Plan

Classic 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$10.00 (C) at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0567	\$0.0189	\$0.0189
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0567	\$0.0189	\$0.0189

#### 13.2.4 Classic 1 Rate Plan

Classic 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$15.00 (C) at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction	Equivalent Call Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0537	\$0.0179	\$0.0179
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0537	\$0.0179	\$0.0179

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#### 13.2.5 Universal Rate Plan

Universal rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$20.00 (C) at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0507	\$0.0169	\$0.016
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0507	\$0.0169	\$0.0169

#### 13.2.6 Prime 2 Rate Plan

Prime 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0387	\$0.0129	\$0.0129
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0387	\$0.0129	\$0.01290

#### 13.2.7 Prime 1 Rate Plan

Prime 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0357	\$0.0119	\$0.0119
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0357	\$0.0119	\$0.0119

#### 13.2.8 Super 1 Rate Plan

Super 1 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$35.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit or Fraction	Incremental Call Unit or Fraction	Equivalent Call Unit or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0327	\$0.0109	\$0.0109
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0327	\$0.0109	\$0.0109

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#### 13.2.9 Super 2 Rate Plan

Super 2 rates are provided to customers whose minimum monthly interstate usage is over \$40.00 at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0297	\$0.0099	\$0.0099
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0297	\$0.0099	\$0.0099

# 13.2.10 Cairo 1 Rate Plan (T)

The Cairo 1 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided exclusively to new customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$25.00, at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit
	or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0147	\$0.0049	\$0.0049
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0147	\$0.0049	\$0.0049

#### 13.2.11 Cairo 2 Rate Plan

The Cairo 2 Rate Plan can not be combined with the Freedom Plan Plus Telecompetitive Service Offering, and is provided to new, "saved" or "Winback" customers, whose minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$30.00, at the following rates:

	Minimum Call Unit	Incremental Call Unit	Equivalent Call Unit	
	or Fraction	or Fraction	or Fraction	ĺ
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0117	\$0.0039	\$0.0039	į
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0117	\$0.0039	\$0.0039	(N)

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#### 13.2. iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Rates (Cont'd)

#### 13.2.12 Limited-Class Switched Rates

Limited-Class "X" Rates. The following rates are available to new customers 13.2.12.1

and "save" or "winback" customers. Calls made under these rate plans shall not be subject to the addition of Equivalent Call Unit's (ECU's) as described in the

sections preceding.

X-1 Rate Plan A.

X-1 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly

intrastate usage is over \$100.00 at the following rates:

Incremental Call Unit Minimum Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0327 \$0.0109 \$0.0327 \$0.0109

Peak/Business Day Off-Peak/Non-Business Day

Peak/Business Day

#### В. X-2 Rate Plan

X-2 rates are provided to customers whose estimated minimum monthly intrastate usage is over \$110.00 at the following rates:

Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call Unit

or Fraction or Fraction \$0.0297 \$0.0099 Off-Peak/Non-Business Day \$0.0297 \$0.0099

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# 13.2.16 Rates for Calls Terminated to a Mobile Phone or Pager

All calls terminated to a mobile phone or pager shall be charged the following rates:

Minimum Call UnitIncremental Call UnitEquivalent Call Unitor Fractionor Fractionor Fraction\$0.0627\$0.0209\$0.0209

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# 13.2.17 iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Rates for Calling Cards

Rates for calling card calls are time of day sensitive.

	Minimum Call Unit Incremental Call		tal Call Unit	
	Equivale	ent Call Unit (N)		
	or Fracti	on or Fract	ion o	r Fraction
Peak/Business Day	\$0.0678	\$0.0226	\$0.0226	
Off-Peak/Non-Business Day	\$0.0609	\$0.0203	\$0.0203	(N)

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#### 13.3 iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service - Graduated Rate Categories

Carrier offers services under this Section based on the Rate Plans and categories as specified following. Rates are graduated as shown in Table 1 following, higher to lower, that is, Rate Category I for Cairo 2 Rate Plan contains Carrier's lowest offered rates and Rate Category XI for the Basic Q Rate Plan contains Carrier's top rates.

Table 1

Rate Plan	Rate Category
Basic Q	XI
Classic Q	X
Classic 2	IX
Classic 1	VIII
Universal	VII
Prime 2	VI
Prime 1	V
Super 1	IV
Super 2	Ш
Cairo 1	П
Cairo 2	I

- Any Rate Category I-IX customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted upward by two Rate Categories, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.
- Any Rate Category X customers in service on or before April 15, 2010, whose services are not part of an unexpired term plan or usage rate guarantee, and which have not experienced a rate category change during the previous three consecutive invoices, shall have their rates adjusted to Rate Category XI, effective for all calls on or after July 15, 2010, that are reflected on invoices rendered on or after August 15, 2010.

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## 13.4 iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Customer Advantage Plans ("CAPs")

#### 13.4.1 General Terms and Conditions

From time to time, rates may be tariffed or tariffed rates selected, a "Customer Advantage Plan" or "CAP," the purpose and/or design for which is to retain Company's competitive position by offering rates which are necessitated by competing offers received by or available to existing or potential Customers, which if not matched or bettered would result in the loss of an existing or potential Customer and/or in the reduction of traffic volume of a Customer. Customer confirmation of the competitive offer in writing may be required or the availability of a more favorable competitive rate may need to be confirmed from published tariffs, marketing materials or other public sources to establish a Customer's right to obtain a CAP. In order to respond to the competitive pricing initiatives of competitors, the following Customer Advantage Plan offerings are available for eligible Customers taking outbound and inbound equal access switched services of Company originated from and terminated to locations within this state whenever Company determines that but for the availability of these rates, Company will not retain an existing Customer ("save") or will not be able to winback a prior Customer already having switched its services to another carrier ("winback"). The following terms and conditions must exist for any CAP to be valid.

- A. CAPs will comply with the net revenue test as defined by the one or more regulatory commissions having competent jurisdiction and which is founded on established economic principles ensuring above-cost pricing.
- B. A Customer or potential Customer which is similarly situated may request service under a new or previously tariffed CAP. To qualify as a similarly situated Customer for purposes of this Section, the Customer seeking the CAP must demonstrate the existence of circumstances substantially and materially like those which justified the CAP as tariffed.

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#### 13.4.1 General Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

- C. An existing Customer or potential Customer unable to demonstrate being similarly situated under a tariffed CAP may, nonetheless, be able to qualify for a different or new CAP tailored to that Customer's circumstances.
  - D. CAPs are available for all published rates.
- E. Whenever a Customer's competitive offer entails a rate which is not at the time an offered rate by Company, a specific rate competitively responsive to that available from the competitive offering shall be tariffed in this Section 13.
- F. All of the conditions set forth above must exist in order to qualify for the following Customer Advantage Plans. Company shall apply the lowest rate necessary to meet the competitive offering being made to or having been provided to Customer by a carrier competing with Company. Additional terms and/or conditions, such as term or volume commitments, may apply. In the event additional terms or conditions are required, such terms and conditions shall be tariffed by Company prior to institution of the first billing for services under the applicable Customer Advantage Plans.
- G. To receive the Invoice Free CAPs pursuant to 13.4.2 through and including 13.4.7 following, a Customer must call Customer Care before the issuance date of each credit bearing invoice to verify Customer eligibility.

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#### 13.4.2 Customer Advantage Plan I

iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 13th invoice as provided following.

**13.4.2.1**For each twelve invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive 12-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied. **13.4.2.2**Eligibility. To be eligible for the 13th invoice free bonus, each Customer must: have initiated service under iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive 12-month period of service; have received twelve consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding 12month period; have selected the 13th invoice free bonus incentive prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's 12th invoice; and

Customer's 12th invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under 13.4.2.1 preceding.

pay all charges rendered in

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#### 13.4.3 Customer Advantage Plan II

iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 9th invoice as provided following.

13.4.3.1For each eight invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service, a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges") for the preceding consecutive eight-month period; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.

**13.4.3.2**Eligibility. To be eligible for the 9th invoice free bonus, each Customer must:

	have initiated service under	
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	have current usage which	
exceeds the established minimu	m monthly usage levels for the	
applicable iVANTAGE NETW	ORK SOLUTIONS service;	
	have no record of nonpayment	
in any of the preceding consecu	tive eight-month period of	
service;		
	have received eight consecutive	
and uninterrupted invoices over	the preceding eight-month	
period;		
	have selected the 9th invoice	
free bonus incentive prior to the	e first day in the period of service	
covered by Customer's eighth invoice; and		
	pay all charges rendered in	
Customer's eighth invoice in ex	cess of the amount of the	
applicable credit as calculated under 13 4 3 1 preceding		

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#### 13.4.4 Customer Advantage Plan III

iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 9th and 13th invoices as provided following.

additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 12 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive eight month period preceding Customer's 9th invoice and for the consecutive twelve-month period preceding Customer's 13th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied. Eligibility. To be eligible for the 9th and 13th 13.4.4.2 invoice free bonuses, each Customer must: have initiated service under iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (8 and 12 months) of service; have received first eight, then four additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding twelve-month period; have selected the 9th and 13th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eighth invoice; and pay all charges rendered in Customer's eighth and related twelfth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 13.4.4.1,

13.4.4.1For each eight and immediately succeeding four

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#### 13.4.5 Customer Advantage Plan IV

iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 9th and 18th invoices as provided following.

13.4.5.1For each eight and immediately succeeding nine additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 17 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive eight-month period preceding Customer's 9th invoice and for the consecutive seventeenmonth period preceding Customer's 18th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied. 13.4.5.2 Eligibility. To be eligible for the 9th and 18th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must: have initiated service under iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (8 and 17 months) of service; have received first eight, then nine additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the preceding seventeen-month period; have selected the 9th and 18th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period of service covered by Customer's eighth invoice; and pay all charges rendered in Customer's eighth and related seventeenth invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 13.4.5.1, preceding.

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#### 13.4.6 Customer Advantage Plan V

iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th and 12th invoices as provided following.

invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 11 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice and for the consecutive eleven-month period preceding Customer's 12th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied. Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th and 12th 13.4.6.2 invoice free bonuses, each Customer must: have initiated service under iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service; have no record of nonpayment in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (5 and 11 months) of service; have received first five, then six

additional consecutive and uninterrupted invoices over the

of service covered by Customer's eleventh invoice; and

invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the period

Customer's fifth and related eleventh invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under 13.4.6.1,

have selected the 6th and 12th

pay all charges rendered in

preceding eleven-month period;

preceding.

**13.4.6.1**For each five and immediately succeeding six additional

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#### 13.4.7 Customer Advantage Plan VI

iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service Customers who qualify as a new customer or as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth below will receive a credit on their 6th, 10th, and 14th invoices as provided following.

13.4.7.1For each five and immediately succeeding four and next immediately succeeding four additional invoices of consecutive uninterrupted service (total of 13 consecutive invoices), a credit shall be calculated equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the Customer's monthly charges excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges ("eligible charges"), for the consecutive five month period preceding Customer's 6th invoice, for the consecutive nine-month period preceding Customer's 10th invoice, and for the consecutive thirteen month period preceding Customer's 14th invoice; or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.

**13.4.7.2** Eligibility. To be eligible for the 6th, 10th, and 14th invoice free bonuses, each Customer must:

□ have initiated service under		
iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service;		
□ have current usage which		
exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the		
applicable iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS service;		
□ have no record of nonpayment		
in any of the preceding consecutive month qualifying periods (5,		
9 and 13 months) of service;		
$\Box$ have received first five, nine,		
and then thirteen additional consecutive and uninterrupted		
invoices over the preceding thirteen-month period;		
$\Box$ have selected the 6th, 10th, and		
14th invoice free bonus incentives prior to the first day in the		
period of service covered by Customer's fifth invoice; and		
$\Box$ pay all charges rendered in		
Customer's fifth and related ninth and thirteenth invoice in		
excess of the amount of the applicable credits as calculated under		
13.4.7.1, preceding.		

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# 13.4.8 iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Customer Advantage Plan VII - Advantage Card Service (ACS)

Advantage Card Service (ACS) is offered to existing and new customers meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in 13.4.8.1 following. Each ACS Customer who maintains its eligibility is entitled to free calling card calling equal to 30% of the average monthly charges incurred for the ACS Customer's non-calling card calling beginning with Customer's 2nd invoice following Customer commencement of service as an ACS Customer ("Total Calling Advantage").

#### **13.4.8.1**Eligibility

Company's Advantage Card Service (ACS) becomes available once a Customer has completed a minimum of 30 consecutive days of "on-line" services offered by Company (that is, any stand-alone or combination of interexchange, toll free, local, Internet access or Internet site services), whose account is current (no delinquencies in payment occurring or having occurred) and whose billing cycle has remained consistently consecutive (without interruption for any cause).

#### 13.4.8.2Limitations and Disclaimers

- A. ACS is offered only in conjunction with Company's interstate and international companion ACS offerings as tariffed with the FCC.
- B. The ACS Total Calling Advantage will be reflected in Customer's second invoice following commencement of ACS service.
- C. ACS Calling Advantages are not available with any other promotional offering, or any "save/winback" program offered by Company except as provided in E following.
- D. Each month's ACS Total Calling Advantage is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).

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# 13.4.8 iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Customer Advantage Plan VII - Advantage Card Service (ACS) (Cont'd)

### 13.4.8.2Limitations and Disclaimers (Cont'd)

- E. Subject to and in accordance with the eligibility requirements of 13.4.8.1 preceding, ACS service may be offered to counter a competitive offer that would cause or has caused any Customer to select another carrier for its services, that is, ACS service may be offered to "save" or "winback" such Customers; provided that at the time Customer is "saved" or "wonback," Customer is neither delinquent in any payments nor suffered an interruption in its billing cycle as required by 13.4.8.1 preceding.
- F. An ACS Customer whose service is terminated for cause or which voluntarily terminates Company's service forfeits all unused credits.

#### 13.4.8.3Reinstatement

An ACS Customer which has lost its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage may reinstate its eligibility for the Total Calling Advantage by curing any outstanding delinquency and/or by qualifying as a winback customer. Once reinstated, the ACS Customer must maintain its eligibility in good standing.

#### 13.4.8.4Rates

The rates in Section 13.2.17 preceding apply to the iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS ACS service.

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#### 13.4.9 Customer Advantage Plan VIII - Free Minutes

Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or "save" shall be awarded 500 free minutes of either domestic United States interstate calling or intrastate calling, based on the lower of the two rates.

## 13.4.10 Customer Advantage Plan IX - Customer Referral Credit Program ("CRCP")

Company offers each existing Customer a single credit for each validated new customer referred to the Company by the existing Customer. The credit is applied to the existing Customer's charges incurred for services rendered under this tariff.

credit, an existing customer must supply Carrier with a new customer's proprietary network information ("CPNI") and either an (1) order for service sufficient to qualify as a valid written Letter of Agency ("LOA"); or (2) the name of the new customer's authorized representative to be contacted by Company's sales and marketing personnel within 90 days of Company's receipt of the designation of the authorized representative by the existing Customer. A new customer or its designated authorized representative must request service commencement within 30 days of the date of the written LOA or 30 days of the date Company's sales and marketing personnel contact with the new customer or its authorized representative.

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13.4.10 Customer Advantage Plan IX - Customer Referral Credit Program ("CRCP") (Cont'd)

13.4.10.2 Conditions. The CRCP shall vest only after the new customer referred by the existing Customer completes four consecutive months of service following the new customer's service commencement date without any late payment or other delinquency. Subject to Company's validation of the referred customer's compliance with the requirements of this Section 13.4.10, the CRCP shall appear on the existing Customer's 4th invoice following the service commencement date for the new customer.

13.4.10.3 Credit. Subject to Sections 13.4.10.1 and 13.4.10.2, preceding, the referring existing Customer shall receive a credit equal to ten percent (10%) of the new referred customer's service charges appearing on the final invoice rendered by the new referred customer's previous primary interexchange carrier, once validated by Company, and exclusive of any of the previous carrier's monthly fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, or other such charges. The CRCP may not exceed \$500.00 per new referred customer.

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#### 13.4.11 Customer Advantage Plan X - "Thanks for Taking the Time" Offering - 1

Any end user contacted by a sales/marketing representative of Company and which has taken the time to listen to the services and benefits offered by Company is entitled to receive a debit card under Company's "Thanks for Taking the Time" ("TTT-1") service offering.

**13.4.11.1** Card Denominations. Under this offering, Company's debit card is available in \$25, \$50, and \$150 denominations based on the end user's monthly volume of usage.

 Denomination
 Monthly Usage Volume

 \$25.00
 0 - \$49.99

 \$50.00
 \$50.00 - \$149.99

 \$150.00
 \$150.00 - \$249.99

**13.4.11.2** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's TTT-1 service are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments based on a minimum call unit of 60 seconds, with incremental call units rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call Unit Value	Incremental Call Unit Value
<u>@</u> 60 seconds or Fraction	@ 60 seconds or Fraction
\$0.226	\$0.226

**13.4.11.3** Availability. Company's TTT-1 service offering may be terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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  - 13.4.11 Customer Advantage Plan X "Thanks for Taking the Time" Offering 1 (Cont'd)

13.4.11.4 Limitations. Should Company withdraw and/or terminate this offering at any time, any Customer which has received a TTT-1 Card prior to the termination date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of the TTT-1 Card offering shall receive service until its TTT-1 Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or specified usage deadline. Each TTT-1 Card expires one (1) year from date of activation.

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13.4.12 Customer Advantage Plan XI - "Thanks for Taking the Time" Offering  $\,$  - 2 ("TTT-2")

Any end user contacted by a sales/marketing representative of Company and which has taken the time to listen to the services and benefits offered by Company is entitled to receive a debit card under Company's "Thanks for Taking the Time" ("TTT-2") service offering.

**13.4.12.1** Card Denominations. Under this offering, a Company debit card is available in a single \$250 denomination based on the end user's monthly volume of usage.

<u>Denomination</u> <u>Monthly Usage Volume</u> (T) \$250.00 \$250.00+

**13.4.12.2** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's TTT-2 service are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments based on a minimum call unit of 60 seconds, with incremental call units rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Minimum Call Unit Value

<u>@ 60 seconds or Fraction</u>

\$0.226

Incremental Call Unit Value

<u>@ 60 seconds or Fraction</u>

\$0.226

**13.4.12.3** Availability. Company's TTT-2 service offering may be terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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13.4.12 Customer Advantage Plan XI - "Thanks for Taking the Time" Offering - 2 ("TTT-2") (Cont'd)

13.4.12.4 Limitations. Should Company withdraw and/or terminate this offering, any Customer which has received a TTT-2 Card prior to the termination date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of the TTT-2 Card offering shall receive service until its TTT Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or specified usage deadline. Each TTT-2 Card expires one (1) year from date of activation.

**13.4.12.5** Second Card Availability. A second TTT-2 Card in the same denomination listed in section 13.4.12.1 preceding will be made available to customers requesting and receiving Company's Website Design and Hosting Services as set forth in 13.1 preceding.

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#### 13.4.13 Customer Advantage Plan XII - S&W Prepaid Plan

Any customer which qualifies as a "save" or "winback" customer will upon so qualifying receive a Company prepaid (debit) card or cards equal to the "saved" or "wonback" Customer's immediately preceding full month's (30 days) volume of non-calling card charges multiplied by 2.5. The table following demonstrates how the denomination of an S&W card is determined on a per-Customer basis.

Table

Customer's Prior Month's Non-Calling Card Charges*	2.5 Factor Denomina	S&W Calling Card
\$ 50.00	x 2.5	\$125.00
75.00	x 2.5	187.50
90.00	x 2.5	225.00
100.00	x 2.5	250.00
150.00	x 2.5	250.00 + 125.00
25.00	x 2.5	250.00 + 250.00 + 125.00

<sup>\*</sup> Sample levels only. Company reserves the right to round down the actual capacity of any S&W Card.

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Minimum Call Unit

@ 60 seconds or Fraction

#### 13.4.13 Customer Advantage Plan XII - S&W Prepaid Plan (Cont'd)

**13.4.13.1** Rates. The rates for calls using the Company's S&W Card are time of day insensitive; decremented in sixty (60) second increments with a minimum call unit of 60 seconds, with incremental call units are rounded to the next whole 60 second increment.

Incremental Call Unit

@ 60 seconds or Fraction

\$0.226 \$0.226

**13.4.13.2** Availability. Company's S&W Card service offering may be terminated in the sole and exclusive discretion of Company.

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#### 13.4.13 Customer Advantage Plan XII S&W Prepaid Plan (Cont'd)

13.4.13.3 Limitations. Company reserves the right to withdraw and/or terminate this plan at any time, provided that any Customer which has received an S&W Card prior to the termination date or Company's discretionary withdrawal of S&W Card plan shall receive service until its S&W Card calling capacity is exhausted by use or by the specified usage deadline. Each S&W Card expires ninety (90) days from date of activation (the specified usage deadline).

**13.4.13.4** Second S&W Card Availability. An additional S&W Card(s) in the qualifying denomination of the Customer as listed in Section 13.4.13.1 preceding will be made available to any such customer which requests and receives Company's Website Design and Hosting Services as set forth in 13.1 preceding.

#### 13.4.14 Save/Winback Off-Peak/Non-Business Day Adjustments

Customers whose rates are adjusted pursuant to 13.2.10 preceding and who then qualify as a "save" or "winback" customer are eligible to be related to the rates prior to any applicable adjustment made pursuant to 13.2.10.

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**13.4.25** Loyalty Awards. Customers who qualify as either a "winback" or a "save" qualify to receive additional Loyalty Awards.

13.4.25.1 "Welcome Back Invoice" Award. Each Customer who qualifies as either a "winback" or "save" shall receive its first invoice free, a "Welcome Back Invoice," that is, a credit equal to the charges for the first period of service (may be less than 30 days). The credit equal to the charges in the Welcome Back Invoice will appear in the invoice for the fourth billing cycle following the service period to which the Welcome Back Invoice applies.

**13.4.25.2** Reserved for Future Use.

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  - **13.4.26 Service Term Invoice Free Credit**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 13.4.26.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit.
    - 13.4.26.1 Credit. For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive five months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for five months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
    - **13.4.26.2 Eligibility.** To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit, each customer must:
      - **A.** Have initiated service under an iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Plan;
      - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Plan;
      - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
      - **D.** Have received five months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
      - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit at the initiation of service or at any time during the first five service months but not later than the first day of service in the sixth month; and,
      - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 13.4.26.1, preceding.

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**13.4.27 Service Term Invoice Free Credit II**. New customers or customers who qualify as either a "save" or a "winback" and who meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Section 13.4.27.2 shall receive the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II.

- 13.4.27.1 Credit. For the entire service term of each new customer or customer that qualifies as either a "save" or "winback" customer, a continuing periodic credit shall be given in the invoice following each consecutive three months of uninterrupted service ("credit invoice") equal to the lower of either (i) the average of the customer's monthly usage and non-usage charges for three months preceding the credit invoice (excluding calling card charges, fees, taxes, surcharges, assessments, and similar charges); or (ii) a credit which equals the eligible charges on the invoice in which the credit is applied.
- **13.4.27.2 Eligibility.** To be eligible for the Service Term Invoice Free Credit II, each customer must:
  - **A.** Have initiated service under an iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Plan;
  - **B.** Have current usage which exceeds the established minimum monthly usage levels for the applicable iVANTAGE NETWORK SOLUTIONS Service Plan;
  - **C.** Have no record of nonpayment, delinquencies or issues of credit worthiness;
  - **D.** Have received three months of consecutive and uninterrupted service preceding each credit invoice;
  - **E.** Have selected this Service Term Invoice Free Credit II at the initiation of service or at any time during the first three service months but not later than the first day of service in the fourth month; and,
  - **F.** Pay all charges rendered in customer's credit invoice in excess of the amount of the applicable credit as calculated under Section 13.4.27.1, preceding.

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#### 13.5 Miscellaneous Charges

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13.5.1 Directory Assistance Charge

\$1.25/per call

#### 13.5.2 Toll Free Access Service (TFAS) Miscellaneous Charges

#### 13.5.2.1 Account Charge

Each Toll Free Access Service Customer shall pay the monthly account charge, following:

Account Charge:

\$15.00 Per Account, Per Month

#### 13.5.2.2Directory Listing Charge

Each Toll Free Access Service Customer having its toll free number listed in any national, regional, or local directory of toll free access numbers shall pay the monthly listing charge, following:

Directory Listing Charge: \$15.00 Per Number, Per Month

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#### 13.5.3 Remote Access Surcharge

A surcharge applies to all calls originated at payphones using a service access code.

\$0.30

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### Per Call 13.5.4 Waiver of Charges

A Miscellaneous charge or charges will be waived upon request whenever application of such charge or charges increases a customer's total charges for service above the charges such customer has been offered or has available for the same service from a competing carrier. Company may require documentation or other credible evidence useful in verifying the competitive offering and are subject to the net revenue test as defined by the FCC. Nothing herein shall be construed to require Company to waive any charge if in Company's sole and exclusive discretion, such waiver conflicts or may conflict with law or regulation. Waivers will be granted to customers similarly situated. A customer is similarly situated if the circumstances of that customer are substantially and materially like those which justified the waiver in the first instance.

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#### 13.6 Cross Over Special Service Offers

#### 13.6.1 Cross Over Credit (COC)

**A.** To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Credit" or "COC" equal to 5% of the customer's usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

#### B. Limitations and Disclaimers

The COC credit is available only in conjunction with Company's interstate and intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC and the respective states.
☐ If earned, as specified in Section 13.6.1.A preceding, the COC will be reflected in that customer's first invoice which follows customer's completion of 60 days of uninterrupted service following its commencement of service.
☐ This credit is not available with Company's offering set forth in Section 13.6.2 following.
$\hfill\Box$ The COC is noncumulative (cannot be carried over to any following month or otherwise accumulated).
A customer whose service is terminated for cause or who terminates Company's service in its discretion prior to the completion of its minimum service term forfeits its COC credit

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#### 13.6.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC)

**A.** To induce new customers to order service, for any customer ordering service and which institutes service within 30 days of such order, Company will provide its "Cross Over Century Card" or "COCC," a prepaid calling card worth \$100 for each \$1000 of usage charges incurred by customer in its final invoice immediately preceding customer's commencement date of service with Company.

#### B. Limitations and Disclaimers

Company's interstate and and the respective states.	This offer is available only in conjunction with intrastate service offerings as tariffed with the FCC
commencement of service	The COCC card will be issued following Customer's
offer set forth in Section 1	This offer is not available with Company's 5% credit 3.6.1 preceding.
` 1	The COCC card expires within 6 months of its ") irrespective of the balance of the COCC card's face remaining at the date of expiration.
delinquencies in payments	Customer must remain in service during the period of ace exists on the COCC card; must have no on account for its non-calling card and non-COCC ve no bill cycle interruptions.

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#### 13.6.2 Cross Over Century Card (COCC) (Cont'd)

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 $\hfill\Box$  To qualify for each \$100 of face value on COCC, the customer's previous usage will be segmented into \$100 usage "packets" as follows:

Previous Usage	\$100 Packets
\$100.00	1
\$200.00	2
\$300.00	3
\$395.00	4
\$490.00	5
\$585.00	6
\$680.00	7
\$775.00	8
\$870.00	9
\$965.00 +	10

COCC calls must originate and terminate from locations in the state from areas served with equal access. COCC calls are rated at \$0.75 per minute of use and are distance, day-of-week, and time-of-day insensitive. Non-transport charges do not apply.

If at any time prior to the completion of its use period, any of customer's services is terminated for cause, for any service customer in its discretion terminates, or should customer fail at any time to comply with the conditions of this Section, at the time of termination or failure of compliance, the unused value of the COCC card shall be cancelled immediately by Company.